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NEW YORK—Billboard predicted last year that 1963 would be the year for mergers, buy-outs and combinations of record firms. This prediction has been borne out so far this year with the recent merger of Warner Bros.-Reprise and the signing of a deal last week whereby Liberty Records will acquire Imperial. Some other recent tie-ups had Kapp buying Congress and Dimension merging with Colpix in the Aldon Music buy. The reasons for the spate of mergers should become even more pronounced during the rest of the year.

They are forced by a variety of conditions resulting from the economics of today's business: (1) the competitive battle on both the artist and sales front, (2) the higher costs and lower net profits, and (3) the changing distribution and retail sales picture which tends to help the larger firms and frustrate the smaller labels.

3 Big Singles, Hot Fall Album Product Key to Sales Climb

By BOB ROLONTZ

NEW YORK-A steady pickup in the record business has been evident of the past fortnight sparked by a number of strong single records, and the introduction of new fall album product. It was just about this period last summer when the singles business started to climb that resulted in the best fourweek summer period (mid-August to mid-September) in record history.

The strong singles product has been led by three smashes that look on their way to becoming million sellers. They are Little Stevie Wonder's "Fingertips," on Tamla (No. 1 again on the Hot 100 this week); Allan merman's "Hello Mudduh, Hello Fadduh," on Warner Bros., and the Angel's "My Boyfriend's Back," on Smash. And mighty close to these is "Candy Girl," by the 4 Seasons on Vee Jay.

Although these are the biggies, there are other solid sellers around. Kai Winding's "More," on Verve; "Heat Wave," by Martha and the Vandellas on Gordy; "Surfer Girl" and "Little

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Deuce Coupe," by the Surfers on Capitol; Al Martino's "Painted, Tainted Rose," on Capitol; Bobby Vinton's "Blue Velvet," on Epic; the Crystals' "Then He Kissed Me," on Philles; "Martian Hop," by the Ran-Dels on Chairman; "The Kind of Boy You Can't Forget," by the Raindrops on Jubilee; "Wonderful Wonderful," by the Tymes on Parkway; "Mickey's Monkey," by the Miracles on Tamla; "Lonely Surfer," by Jack Nitzsche on Reprise; "Straighten Up Your Heart," by Barbara Lewis on Atlantic; "Why Don't You Believe Me," by the Duprees on Coed; "Cry Baby," by Garnett Mims and the Enchanters on United Artists, and "Birthday Party," by the Pixies Three on Mercury are among

the hottest of the newer record-

Last year the singles market was suddenly lifted sky high in sales by the Ray Charles "I Can't Stop Loving You," and the Bobby Vinton "Roses Are Red," both of which sold over 1,500,000 disks. They helped zoom the August 15 to September 15 period to a 20 million selling singles record period for sales in stores, racks, chains, syndicate, and variety stores. Only in Christmas period of 1961 was this singles sales figure surpassed.

Albums, too, have had an upsurge, which was to be expected in the light of the powerful fall product introduced during July and August. One of these new albums, Allen Sherman's "My Son, the Nut" has turned into a runaway smash.

Hot as a pistol is Little (Continued on page 12)

Liberty Records Buying Imperial Label, Pub Firm

By LEE ZHITO

HOLLYWOOD—Liberty Records last week acquired Lew Chudd's Imperial label and subsidiary publishing firms. Imperial was purchased by Avnet Electronics Corporation, Liberty's parent firm. Assets include the Imperial name, more than 2,200 masters, and 6,000 music copyrights.

Imperial will retain its label identity under the new ownership, will be headed by Liberty President Al Bennett, and operated by Liberty's management staff. The complete Imperial staff will be retained by Liberty. Under the new set-up, Imperial will retain its existing distributors, here and abroad.

As part of the purchase, Liberty also acquires Imperial's wholly owned music publishing firms, including Post Music (ASCAP), and Travis, Commodore, and Reeve (all BMI).

Imperial's masters include a substantial number of recordings by Rick Nelson, Fats Domino, Slim Whitman and Sandy Nelson, among others.

Chudd founded Imperial in March, 1946, and started in the Spanish and folk dance field. He later branched into rhythm (Continued on page 12)

'GREATEST'

Clay's Salty Disk Debut

NEW YORK - "I Am the Greatest" is the title of Cassius Clay's first LP on the Columbia label, and he says it again and again on the talking, poetry reciting, semi-dramatic LP that he waxed two weeks ago for the firm.

Recorded in front of a live audience (which is mighty appreciative of Clay's bombastic performance on the disk), it displays a one-track-mind Clay

(Continued on page 12)

NEW SISTER

Billboard to Acquire Modern Photography

NEW YORK - Billboard is about to acquire another sister publication, it was announced here last week. W. D. Littleford, president of The Billboard Publishing Company, and Everett Gellert, of Gellert-Wolfman Publishing Corporation, jointly announced an agreement whereby Billboard will buy the consumer publication Modern Photography. The acquisition will be the fourth for Billboard in 14 months.

In addition to Billboard, the company publishes the business papers Amusement Business and Vend and the consumer magazines High Fidelity and American Artist.

Littleford stated: "The addition of Modern Photography and its complete operating staff will give our company a strong publishing position in three of the fastest growing areas of the American economy - High Fidelity for music listeners, American Artist for amateur and commercial artists and Modern Photography for the photographic enthusiast."

Littleford also announced that with the addition of Modern Photography, Warren B. Syer, publisher of High Fidelity, will assume the additional responsibilities of general manager, consumer magazine division, a newly created post. He will continue as publisher of High Fidelity.

Other Publications

In addition to periodicals, Billboard publishes the Carnegie Hall program, a group of annuals including Who's Who in the World of Music, International Music - Record Buying Guide, Stereo Annual, Auditorium and Arena Guide and Cavalcade of Fairs. It entered book publishing last year with the acquisition of the Watson-Guptill line of art instruction and music books and also operates Record Source International (RSI), a radio station programming serv-

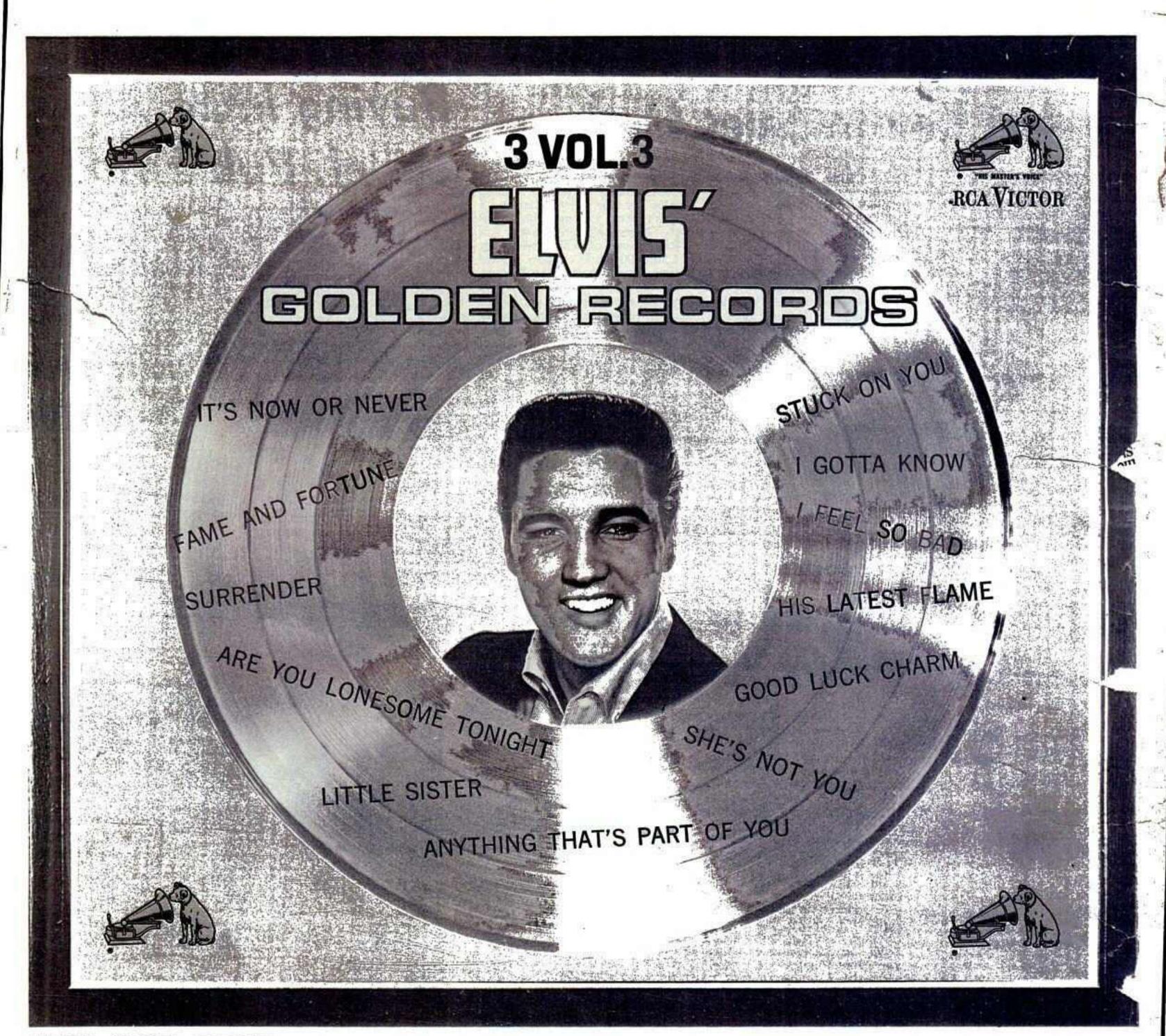
Billboard has its own printing plant, a data processing service center and a subscription fulfillment agency in Cincinnati,



A RISING SUN: More than 4,000 teen-agers stormed Los Angeles International Airport to greet Kyu Sakamoto, "Sukiyaki" hitmaker, when he arrived in the U. S. last week for a quick visit. On hand to greet the singer were (left to right) Glenn Wallichs, chairman of the board of Capitol Records, and his daughter Susan. On the right of Sakamoto is Barbara Birkenhead, daughter of Capitol's Japanese representative, Warren Birkenhead. While in Los Angeles, Sakamoto taped two segments for the Steve Allen show.

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NARA Convention Opens To 'New Frontier' Theme

By GIL FAGGEN

NEW YORK—The Sixth Annual National Association of Radio Announcer's (NARA) Convention will open at the Ambassador Hotel in Hollywood Thursday (22) and will run through Sunday (25). An impressive list of record company executives will attend the meet, including men from Atlantic, RCA Victor, Capitol, and United Artists, plus representatives from SESAC.

One record company promo man emphasized the importance of the NARA convention by noting that the Negro deejay remains the last vestige of independent individual programming in radio today-an important factor in kicking off new

Dick Gersh Colpix Flack

NEW YORK — Dick Gersh has been appointed to the newly created position of director of advertising, publicity and public relations for Colpix Records, Dimension Records, Screen Gems-Columbia Music, Inc. and Colgems Music.

Gersh, who will assume his new duties September 2, has for the past nine years been president of his own public relations firm. During this time he has handled such accounts as Pickwick International, the former Top Rank Record firm, and Clairtone of Canada, manufacturer of packaged high fidelity phono equipment. More recently, the Gersh firm concentrated on handling a number of Wall Street accounts.

Commenting on the appointment, Don Kirshner, executive vice-president of Columbia Pictures Screen Gems TV, Music and Record Division, said: "The appointment is a major step in the massive promotional buildup now going on in the Columbia Pictures Screen Gems operation, in preparation for its new singles, albums, TV and motion pictures sound tracks. It's essential that all phases of exploitation and communications be centralized into a department that matches the dynamic growth of our company. Dick Gersh is the ideal choice for this assignment," Kirshner concluded.

MATHIS HIT IN **FOREST HILLS**

NEW YORK - A record crowd of 14,160 people jammed the Forest Hills Tennis Stadium last Saturday night (10) and paid a gross in excess of \$56,200 to see the Johnny Mathis Show. Mathis, whose fee was \$20,000vs. - percentage, went heavily into percentage figures.

Featured on the program was Don Costa and WINS air personality Murray (the K) Kaufman.

releases. More than 500 members and guests are expected to attend the sessions.

The convention's theme, "Moving Ahead With the New Frontier in Radio and TV Communications" spells a working climate of seminars and workshops designed to explore means and methods of improving the Negro's status in the broadcasting field. NARA's membership is 85 per cent Negro.

Los Angeles broadcasters have been invited to conduct the seminars dealing specifically with how to prepare NARA members for positions in other than all-Negro or Negro-oriented radio and TV stations. Discussions are also planned on how to create greater prestige and security for Negro air personnel.

Four NARA chapters serving the North Central, South Central States and East and West Coast areas have been established to help raise funds for the organization's educational program. Chapter members in turn intend conducting seminars in their respective areas to improve the status of Negro broadcasters.

Speakers on tap for the confab are Rep. Augustus Hawkins D., Calif.), who will deliver the keynote address at the new installation of officers Sunday (25); State Rep. Merya Bymally of Calif., T. H. Smith, FCC, chief engineer for the California region, and a representative of the NAACP.

Inequalities practiced in radio and television employment will be discussed and methods of alleviating unfair practices will be sought. Representatives of the Urban League, CORE and the NAACP will be in attendance, according to Floyd Ray, convention chairman.

LP Spawns Hit Single

NEW YORK-Little Stevie Wonder has established a first for Tamla Records and a record industry first by having a simultaneous No. 1 listing on Billboard's Hot 100, Top LP's and R.&B. Singles charts this week. Usually an album follows a hit single. In this case "Fingertips (Part II)" culled from the hot-selling Tamla album "Little Stevie Wonder the 12-Year-Old Genius" and found its way along with the album into the No. 1 position across the nation.

Sales Mgr. Job To Peter Hess

NEW YORK—Peter Hess has been named sales manager for Cadence Records, according to Archie Bleyer, president of the firm. Hess joined Cadence five years ago as assistant production manager, and later served in sales with the subsidiary Candid label and for Cadence. He succeeds Budd Dolinger,

NEW YORK—The 4 Seasons filed suit in the New York State Supreme Court of New York last Tuesday (13) against the Bob Crewe Firm, Genius, Inc., alleging that they had not received full royalty payment on sales of their records. According to the suit, the 4 Seasons (Frank Castelluccio, Thomas DeVito, Nicholas Macioci and Robert Gaudio) claim that their recordings on Vee Jay have sold over 7 million, and that the royalties that they have received from Genius, Inc., the producer of the disk, totaled only \$100,000, when it allegedly should hve totaled \$350,000.

The 4 Seasons claim in the suit that they are owed another \$250,000 by Genius, Inc., and that the accountings they have received from Genius, Inc., do not fully reflect all of the sales of the 4 Seasons' records.

The 4 Seasons ask in their suit that they receive damages totaling \$250,000 from Genius, Inc., that their agreements with Genius, Inc., be declared null and void, and that the defend-



ON THE LINE: Bobby Darin has signed pretty 16-year old Los Angeles high school girl Debbie Stanley, to an exclusive songwriting and singing contract with his T.M. Music, Inc., record production and music publishing firm. Following his brief trip to the West Coast, Darin is back in New York to resume his activities with his hot new publishing and production firm.

ants be enjoined from in any way interfering with the plaintiff's rights in and to the use of the name the 4 Seasons, during the pendancy of the action.

WB-Reprise Tie Potent Hit Team

NEW YORK—The emergence of a major new force in the best selling sweepstakes is the result of the merger last week of Warner Bros. Records and Reprise Records. The new WB-Reprise combine finds itself in fourth place in terms of records on the best selling LP chart and but one listing away from a tie for third place. In singles, the showing in terms of numerical strength is not quite so impressive, yet the WB-Reprise firm

Wynshaw Gets Columbia Post

NEW YORK - Dave Wynshaw has been named director of artists relations, Columbia Records Sales Corporation, according to Bill Gallagher, vicepresident of marketing for Columbia Records. In his new post, Wynshaw will report to Ken Glancey, vice-president of Columbia Records Sales Corporation.

Earlier this year, Wynshaw came East from his position as Los Angeles branch manager to take over as New York branch manager, succeeding Southard, who retired. Wynshaw joined the Columbia organization in 1960 as operations manager at the Los Angeles branch. In his new post, Wynshaw will co-ordinate all artist appearances and tours and will effect liaison with national television and radio producers in regard to Columbia artists in all categories.

Upcoming on his schedule will be a cross-country, 12city, in-person tour by Mitch Miller and his "Sing-Along" gang, starting September 7.

who resigned to join Sid Talmadge's distributing firm, Record Merchandising, on the West Coast.

has three in the first 11 listings on the "Hot 100."

Columbia, after a long stretch in the front slot in the album derby, continues the leader with 27-close to 20 per cent-of all the LP listings. Capitol is currently running in the No. 2 slot with 18, while Victor holds the third rung with a dozen. Next comes the Warner-Reprise combine with 11 (Warners with six, Reprise with five). The new entity thus passes such other important entries as Dot with eight; the Decca-Coral-Brunswick axis with seven; Liberty-Dolton with six; MGM-Verve with six; Mercury-Philips-Smash with five, and ABC-Paramount and Roulette with four each.

The Singles Picture

In singles, Warners' Allan Sherman and Peter, Paul and Mary contribute to the new picture with the No. 2 and 6 records while Trini Lopez on Reprise, comes through with a rendition of a former hit for Peter, Paul and Mary, "If I Had a Hammer," in the 11 spot. Another fast moving Reprise single is by Jack Nitzsche-"Lonely Surfer"—which jumped from 81 to 61 this week.

A big factor in the current Warner success is Allan Sherman, who has come back eight months after his big initial impact late last fall with product that's even faster moving than his original successes, and this after a second album which never built up the same kind of steam as the first. The current album, "My Son, the Nut," first hit the chart last week at No. 90 and this week, its second on the chart, jumped all the way to the No. 5 position. The original "My Son, the Folk Singer," took four weeks to move as far.

The current Sherman single, "Hello Mudduh, Hello Fadduh," his first hit single, incidentally, is also one of the fast moving disks in a spell, having hit the No. 2 spot on the "Hot 100" this week, only four weeks after release.

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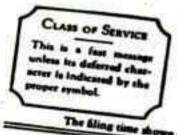
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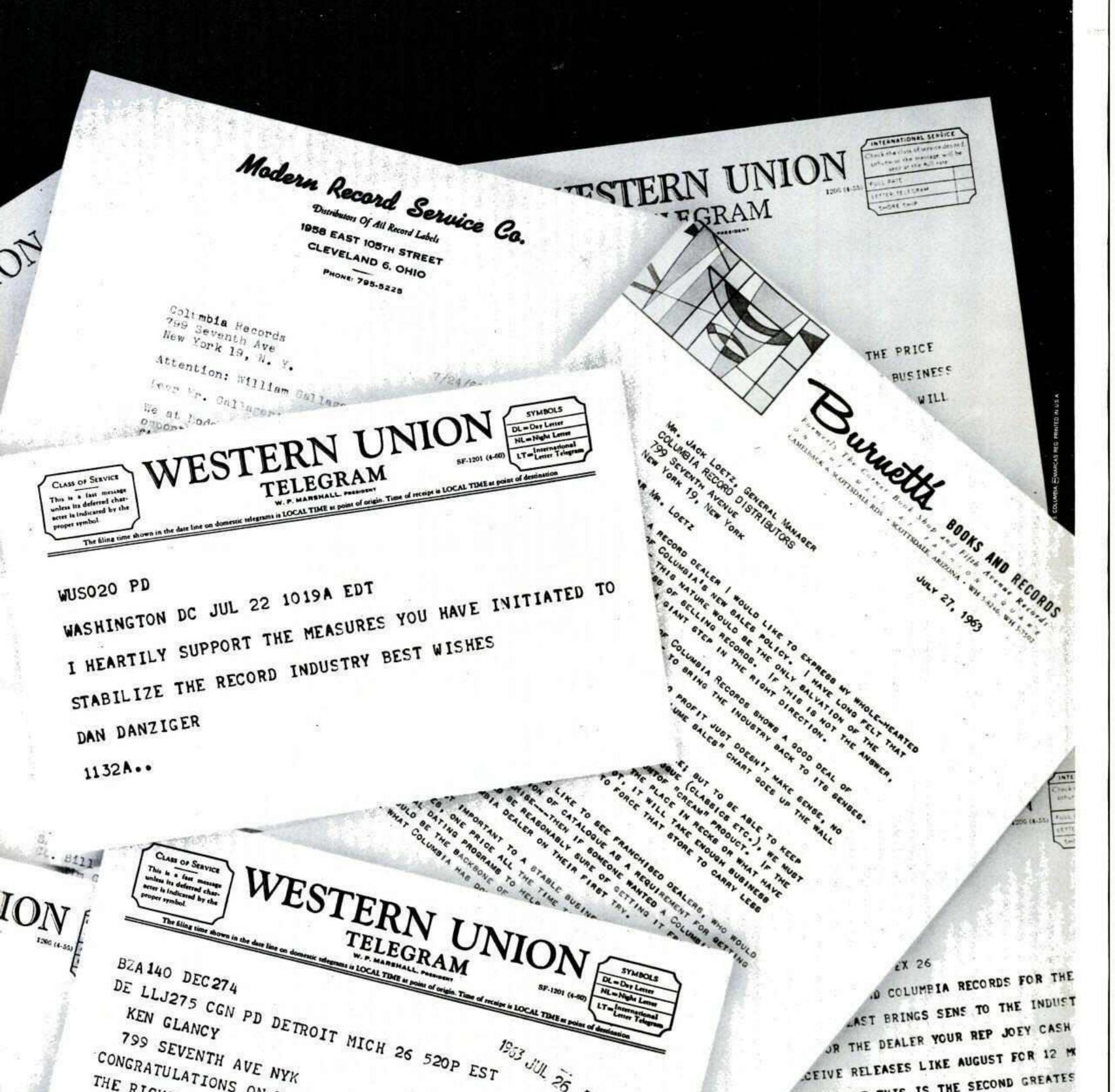
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HEAT'S ON

Epic Loves Those Long, Hot Summers

NEW YORK—Epic Records and its companion label, Okeh, are enjoying their second consecutive hit-packed summer. The label combine currently has four disks on the Hot 100 and two on the best selling LP chart.

Bobby Vinton, who moved Epic up to its hottest summer in history in 1962 with "Roses Are Red," has recently enjoyed a new smash with "Blue on Blue," which dropped off the charts after an extended stay. The follow-up, "Blue Velvet," is moving up rapidly.

Also in a commanding position is the new Major Lance side on Okeh, "The Monkey Time," and the Rolf Harris smash, "Tie Me Kangaroo Down, Sport," after a stay at the top end of the charts in recent weeks. One of the fastest moving new Epic singles is

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NEW YORK—Frank Hendrix, Sears' record buyer, has named Dick Nabbatt as the new assistant to the buyer in the record division of Sears. The former assistant buyer Bob Buezkiewicz is going into retail promotion for Sears. Meanwhile, a new addition has been made to the staff, a buyer's assistant. Appointee is Beverly Kaitschuck.

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"Lucky Lips," by the British star Cliff Richard, which again moved up the Hot 100 this week.

Two of these action singles have resulted in hit albums for Epic as well: Rolf Harris' "Tie Me Kangaroo Down, Sport" album and Vinton's "Blue on Blue" LP.

Promotional Guns Boom Support of Churchill Album

NEW YORK—Colpix Records promotional arm, headed
by Bob Rosen, newly appointed
director of special projects, will
be brought to bear in the promotion of the Colpix album
"Sir Winston Churchill, First
Honorary Citizen of the
United States"—an album containing the noted statesman's
speeches from the time that he
became Prime Minister to his
retirement.

Distributors will be sent various promotional and sales aids which will include special brochures, window streamers and book marks. Extensive advertising in top consumer and trade magazines is planned along with window displays in leading major markets.

Command Eyes Scribes' Ears With New LP's

NEW YORK—Enoch Light introduced his fall releases at a press party last week at Bob Fine's recording studio. The Command chief went all out sound-wise with a program of excerpts from his new LP for the assembled scribes.

Key item in the new releases is the pairing again of Alfred Drake and Roberta Peters on the label who had a big seller with their Command version of "Carousel" last year. The new Drake-Peters set features them in Leonard Bernstein show tunes from "On the Town," "West Side Story," "Wonderful Town," and "Candide." Enoch Light and ork and the Ray Charles Singers back the vocalists.

Other new sets feature the Pittsburgh Symphony under William Steinberg, an album of movie themes, with Light and his ork and three other new LP's. They will ship in a few days, and will be backed by a heavy ad campaign.

Horizon Staying With VJ as Distrib

NEW YORK—David Hubert, executive of Horizon, informed Billboard last week that the label is not going with Ewart Abner's Dart distributing operation. Instead it will continue to stay with Vee Jay for national distribution.

CMA UNVEILS BIG PLANS FOR C.&W. MUSIC WEEK

NASHVILLE—The Country
Music Association at a recent
regular board meeting in Toronto blue-printed plans for its most
extensive participation to date
in the annual National Country
Music Week, upcoming October
31 through November 3 here.

CMA's plans for the special celebration week include a panel discussion during WSM's annual country music festival, during the same dates, and presentation of the first CMA president's award, to be made to that CMA member, not an officer or director, "who made the greatest contribution to country music this year." The selection of the recipient has already been made by CMA but the announcement of the winner will be withheld until the Association's annual banquet in Nashville on October 31.

The panel discussion will take up the question of "The Future of Country Music." Connie B. Gay, first president of CMA, will chair the panel committee. Also serving will be Jack Loetz, head of Columbia Record Distributing Corporation, and Biff Collie, well-known country jock at KFOX, Los Angeles.

The Toronto meeting was

Prestige's New Deal

BERGENFIELD, N. J. —
Prestige Records has declared a
15 per cent discount on catalog
of all its 10 labels for the
months of August and September. The complete catalog deal
replaces the rotating label and
artist plan that had been in effect until now.

highlighted by an evening of entertainment offered by the Canadian Record Manufacturers' Association. The CMA board members were also guests of honor at a meeting of the Canadian Radio and Television Executives Club at the Park Plaza Hotel. Entertainment was provided by various Canadian acts in a show emseed by Bill Bessie, star of a weekly CBC country show.

Pacific Will Prune Issue

HOLLYWOOD—World Pacific has cut down its fall release schedule as part of President Dick Bock's plan to have less but stronger product. There will be on Pacific Jazz new product by Les McCann, the Jazz Crusaders, the Gerald Wilson band, Bud Shank and Sonny Stitt, Joe Pass, and new artists, Earl Anderza, Dupree Bolton, Charles Kynard, and an album of previously unreleased masters by Gerry Mulligan and Chet Baker.

New World Pacific LP's will feature Ravi Shankar, a hootenanny set with Bud & Travis, the Goldcoast Singers, Brownie McGhee, Sonny Terry, Lightnin' Hopkins, Barbara Dane, Lynn Gold and the Angelaires. A 10 per cent off the top of the invoice will be offered on all LP orders.

Bock has appointed Harry Aposteleris' Alpha Distributors as the firm's jobber in New York.

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Success Through Mistakes

NEW YORK — The 10th anniversary of the Kermit Schafer Blooper LP's on Jubilee will be marked b a brand-new blooper LP called "Washington Bloopers." Set is the 12th in the blooper series which started in 1953.

For the 10th blooper anniversary Jubilee is re-releasing eight of the original blooper LP's in a new dress and with new titles. New titles include "Super Bloopers," Prize Bloopers," "Off the Record," "Slipped Disks," "Comedy of Errors,"
"Station Breaks," "Funny Boners" and "Foot in Mouth Club."

There is also a new blooper specialty series like "Sports Quiz," "Quiz Bloopers," and the

Hitt Columbia Studio Manager

NASHVILLE — Harold Hitt has become manager of Columbia Records' Bradley Studios here. Hitt succeeds Bill Denny who resigned the post to take over active management of his family's music operations in Nashville. Hitt will be responsible to Ken Raine, manager, Columbia studio operations.

Hitt is a Nashville native and previously was with the Associate Finance Company. Since joining Columbia he has supervised installation of mastering equipment in the studio which allows Bradley to cut 45 single masters as well as those for stereo and mono LP's.

new "Washington Bloopers." Another new album, making an even dozen, is "Blooperama," an

JOE & EDDIE ON KAYE'S TV

NEW YORK-The folk-gospel-jazz singing duo of Joe and Eddie of Crescendo Records (Joe Gilbert and Eddie Brown) has been signed for the initial production of "The Danny Kaye Show," for broadcast in the fall on CBS-TV, Wednesdays 10 to 11 p.m.

In their early 20's, the team made their television debut on the Jackie Gleason Show last spring. They have played San Francisco's Hungry i and have recorded two albums.

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Kapp Buys Assets Of Congress Firm

NEW YORK—Kapp Records has verified the purchase by the label of the Congress Records assets as first reported in Billboard June 15.

Congress will continue to operate as a subsidiary of the Kapp label with Neil Galigan as national sales manager. Bob (Hutch) Davis will be in charge of a.&r. Both will report to Phil Skaff, Kapp vice-president.

Leading Congress artists will continue to be featured on the label, among them Linda Scott and James Ray.

in-person audience participation package recorded live at one of the Miami Beach Hotels.

Schafer's blooper packages have become so popular that he has formed a Blooper Snooper Club. Members of the club get prizes for blooper contributions, and it will soon have a monthly newsletter.

The original blooper album, Vol. I, has sold over 1 million copies, according to Schafer. And sales on all of the other blooper sets have been steady over the years.

L. A. Branch For Mercury

CHICAGO-Mercury Record Corporation last week opened a branch office in Los Angelesthird such for the diskery. Mercury already has branches in New York and Atlanta.

Mercury also named Abe Chayet director of branch sales. Chayet was formerly general manager of Mercury Record Sales Corporation, New York. He'll supervise activities of all three branches and will continue to headquarter in New York.

Bernard Yudkofsky, formerly with Cosnat for 11 years, takes over as manager of the New York branch which has been re-named Multi-Line Distributors, Inc.

Bob Sarempa, formerly part owner of Coda Record Distrib-

Philly Suburb Ready For Invasion of Folks

PHILADELPHIA—The suburban Paoli, Pa., farm of C. Colkert Wilson again this fall will be the setting for a three-day folk music festival September 6, 7 and 8, sponsored by the Philadelphia Folk Song Society and expected to draw followers of folklorists from far and near.

Featured will be Theodore Bikel, Elizabeth Cotton, Almeda Riddle and Hobart Smith, Mississippi John Hurt, Jimmy Martin and his Sunny Mountain Boys and Girls, Jean Redpath, Mike Seeger, Dave Van Ronk and many others.

The event will begin at 6:30 Friday night with square dancing. Friday evening's concert at 8:15 p.m. will be a varied program of city singers who have been an active part of Philadelphia's folk music movement. Esther Halpern will be mistress of ceremonies. Performers will include Roger Abrahams, Alix Dobkins, Suzanne Gross, Lonnie Johnson, Bart Singer, Raun Mac-Kinnon. Friday's program also schedules a "Late Show" at 10:30 p.m. of rare film clips and short subjects from the collection of Pete Seeger, John Cohen and others.

at 10 a.m. will be on guitar,

utors, Minneapolis, takes over

as manager of Mercury's new

Los Angeles branch to be

known as Western Record Dis-

tributors, Inc.

Saturday morning workshops

five-string banjo, folksong arranging and presentation. A ballad session with audience participation, traditional singers and professional performers is set for afternoon.

Saturday evening's concert, expected to be a long one, will start at 7:30 p.m. Sunday at 10 a.m. will see a concert of traditional religious music of America, including Negro spirituals, Mennonite religious songs, white Southern church songs and other folk hymnody. A children's concert and play party will take place at 1 p.m. Sunday with folksinging, games and folk tales for children. A short round-robin folksinging is the final event of the festival, scheduled for 4 p.m.

This will be the second annual staging of the Philadelphia Folk Music Festival which was a big hit the first time around.

NARM ACCEPTS 6 MEMBERS

PHILADELPHIA — NARM has approved the applications for membership in the organization of six new companies, three rack jobbers and three record manufacturers. The new regular members are Mid-America Specialty Distributing Company, Chicago; Rosen Wholesale Company, Lubbock, Tex.; Somerset Corporation, Fall River, Mass. New associate members are Fiesta Records, Listen & Learn Records and Smash Records.

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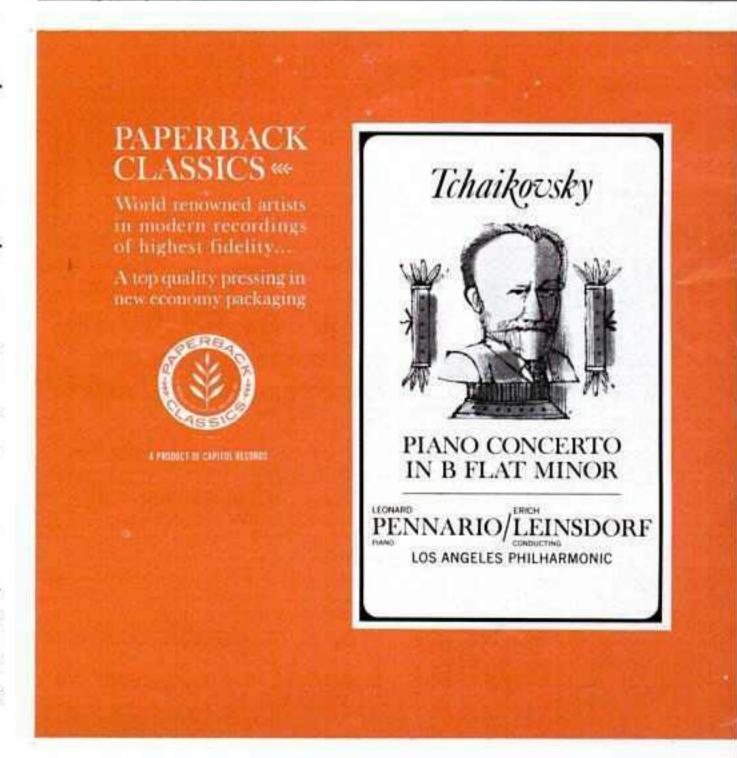
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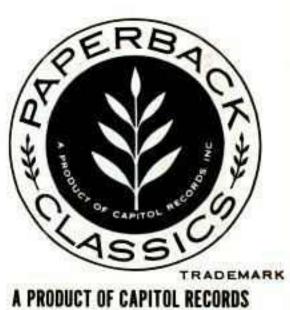
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New B'way Play to Be Seen in 5 Cities

NEW YORK—A new play will open this season on Broadway and simultaneously viewers in five cities will see the same production on television—marking the first time in the history of the theater and television that such an event has been made possible.

The play, "The Advocate," starring James Daly, and written by new American playwright, Robert Noah, will open at the ANTA Theater here Sunday, October 13, and at the same hour will be televised on video tape on five Group W (Westinghouse Broadcasting Company) stations in Boston, Cleveland, Pittsburgh, Baltimore and San Francisco.

Group W has invested \$60,-

ASCAP's Exec Moves

NEW YORK—A number of personnel changes within the ASCAP organization have been announced. These involve George A. Hoffman, Carl Levinton, Clarence Rubin and Louis Weber.

Hoffman, formerly controller of the Society, becomes special assistant to the president, Stanley Adams. He'll handle membership and relief matters and special assignments. Levinton, formerly Hoffman's assistant and for 22 years in charge of the auditing department, succeeds Hoffman as controller.

Rubin, formerly New York division manager, has been named assistant sales manager in charge of general licensing. Weber, formerly manager of radio and TV services, becomes assistant sales manager in charge of radio and TV. Both will continue to report to sales manager Jules M. Collins.

New UA Post To Jay Jacobs

NEW YORK — Jay Jacobs, director of sales and merchandising for United Artists Records, has been appointed director of creative service replacing Buddy Friedlander, who has resigned to concentrate on personal management.

Jacobs was Eastern sales manager for Dot Records for three years prior to entering the UA

Friedlander will continue to work closely with UA in the development of new recording artists.

000 in the \$100,000 production. The three-act play, starring James Daly, covers the unsuccessful court appeal in the

Saco and Vanzetti case.

William Hammerstein, coproducer of "The Advocate," cited the Group W plan could produce a renaissance on Broadway by providing new markets for writers, new work for actors and new sources for producers."

Michael Ellis, co-producer, stated "it would have been impossible to produce this play without the help of Westinghouse. It's very hard to raise money today for a serious drama," Ellis said.

Richard Pack, vice-president, programming, Group W said the television program would be offered for sponsorship but that the theatrical act form would be preserved without commercial interruption.

Dooto Reward for 45 Counterfeiters

LOS ANGELES — Dootsie Williams, president of Dooto Records, stated that there have been attempts to peddle thousands of counterfeit copies of the label's "Earth Angel," sung by the Penguins.

"The latest ring now being investigated by law enforcement officers and industry officials is operating in New York and other major markets," Williams said.

It was stated by Williams that a New York record presser reported that an unidentified person came into his establishment and ordered 5,000 copies of "Earth Angel" manufactured. He never returned, the presser said. Dooto Records is offering \$10,000 reward for information leading to the apprehension of the counterfeiters.

Crown Has 51 Going

NEW YORK - Crown Records issued 51 monaural and stereo albums for the label's new fall program. Crown's budget disks (99 cents) for fall include a surfing, a hootenanny LP, and folk, jazz, blues, movie music scores and eight Christmas sets.



AT THE SUMMIT: Roland Kalb (center), vice-president of Pilot Radio Corporation, took time from the regional showing of his firm's complete line at the Summitt Hotel, New York, to congratulate newly elected Society of Record Dealers (SORD) officers, President Lou Shapiro, right, and Mickey Gensler, secretary-treasurer.

NAT, PATTI OUT AS BEANTOWN **CLUB SHUTTERS**

SALISBURY BEACH, Mass. —The Frolics night club announced this week that it would not reopen when a four-day suspension of its license for selling liquor to minors ends. The Frolics normally closes Labor Day weekend. A knotty problem arises. Can a closing ordered by the Alcohol Control Commission be considered an "Act of God?" like a hurricane and therefore nullify a contract.

The Frolic had to cancel out Nat King Cole scheduled for next week and Patti Page the week after. AGVA will rule on the issue. Cole had a \$27,000 contract for the week. Patti Page's price is unknown but is believed to be somewhere around \$9,000. Owner Denny Mulcahy, already burdened by the recent death of his wife, said once he closed his doors for a spell, he wouldn't be able to get customers to return.

Claridge Music Most Colorful

NEW YORK-Claridge Music, Inc., is making a major effort to rejuvenate interest in sheet music.

The firm, headed by Frank C. Slay Jr., is turning out sheet music by a four-color process on heavy coated stock

"It is our hope that by going the opposite direction from the prevailing trend of the industry, i.e., smaller and cheaper paper for lower and lower sales, we may be able to again stimulate interest in sheet music by using full size sheets, contemporary designs and arrangements of the songs which perfectly duplicates the sound

Tunes receiving the new dressed-up look on sheet music are "Marlena," "Sherry, Soon (I'll Be Home Again)," "Candy Girl" and "Big Girls Don't Cry" -all made popular by the 4 Seasons.

of the records," said Slay.

The sheet music is priced at 60 cents.

Craig Matches Columbia Price

SEATTLE - With record dealers around the nation beginning to adjust to the new pricing structure initiated by Columbia Records, Independent Record Sales Division of the Craig Corporation, Seattle, has announced that it has changed its price structure to match that of Columbia's.

Jerry Dennon, manager of the year-old distribution firm, said the only variation from the Columbia structure is in prices and deals to rack outlets and one-stops.

Knowles Rosen V.-P.

PHILADELPHIA — Paul R. Knowles, general manager of the record division of Raymond Rosen & Company, Inc., RCA Victor and RCA Whirlpool Distributors in Eastern Pennsylvania has been elected vicepresident of the company. Knowles joined the company in 1934, working his way up to the vice-presidency from a clerk in the parts department.

KORVETTE REGISTERS FOR NEW SHARE SALE

WASHINGTON-E. J. Korvette, New York department and specialty chain stores firm, has filed a registration statement with the Securities and Exchange Commission seeking registration of 36,000 outstanding shares of common stock, of which 27,000 shares are to-be offered for public sale by the holders, on the New York Stock Exchange in regular-way brokerage transactions (through Carl M. Loeb, Rhoades & Company). Remaining 9,000 shares are to be offered by the holders from time to time through one or more securities brokers in regular transactions on the Exchange at prevailing prices (maximum \$26.50 per share).

Korvette's operates 24 department stores, 11 food supermar-

Aid Founder **Brooks Dead**

NEW YORK — The music world mourned the death last week of Dr. Gregory Brooks, co-founder of the Musicans Aid Society here.

Dr. Brooks, born in Odessa, Russia, was educated at the University of Vienna and obtained advanced degrees at Fordham University. A lifelong musician and member of Musicians Local 802, Brooks' wide and varied background embraced a successful career in Wall Street securities, as a chemical consultant to drug companies and developer of mass production Estogen.

The last 10 years of his life were devoted exclusively to aid and assistance of needy musicians and he was instrumental in organizing the recent WNEW 30th Anniversary salute at Madsion Square Garden, the proceeds of which were donated to the Society.

ABC's Berger Off To West Coast

NEW YORK-Dave Berger, national director of promotion for ABC-Paramount, leaves Monday (19) for a two-week trip to California where he will visit radio stations, deejays and generally survey the company's promotional program on the West Coast. Berger will spend two days in San Francisco and then move on to Los Angeles where he will attend the National Association of Radio Announcers convention.

PHILLY NEW **FOLK TOWN**

PHILADELPHIA — Giving greater stability to the spread of folk music's attraction here and prepared to cash in on the great tide already mounting, a Philadelphia Folk Workshop and Folklore Center has been set up here. Leon Aaron and Steve Kenin, who have been actively promoting bluegrass music here, are listed as the owners of the new center. Indicative of the popularity of the folk music here is the first announcement of a concert date for the 1963-1964 season. First announced booking is that of the Kingston Trio for an October date at Convention Hall being handled by local booker Bill Honney.

kets and 3 specialty stores. It has outstanding 4,182,807 shares of common stock, of which Eugene Ferkauf, executive chairman, owns 12.12 per cent, and Estelle Ferkauf (his wife) 14.97 per cent, according to the registration statement. Management as a group owns 18.8 per cent. Arthur Schwadron, Jack Schwadron (a vicepresident) and The Schwadron Foundation, Inc., proposes to sell 30,000 and 5,000 and 1,000 shares respectively of an aggregate of 207,020 shares owned. George Yelen is board chairman and William Willensky presi-

RCA'S Soria On Tour of Continent

NEW YORK - Dario Soria, division vice-president of the International Department of RCA Victor Records, is currently touring Europe for a series of business meetings with the label's affiliate companies and licensees.

Soria's travels have taken him to Geneva where he was joined by Norman Racusion, RCA Victor Record Division vice-president and operations manager. The team will travel to London and then to Copenhagen, where they will attend the semiannual sales conference of RCA licensees which distribute RCA Victor records in the Scandinavian countries, Germany, Austria, Holland, Belgium and Switzerland. From Copenhagen, Soria goes to Stockholm and

While in Europe, Soria will also cover the Mediterranean countries before ending his tour in Italy.

Pretty Girl Is Like a Melody

NEW YORK-In the topical LP department, Joseph Sinsheimer, president of Allen Distributors in Richmond, Va., has released an album entitled "Music of Miss America," on his Ice Blue label. The album features 10 tunes composed and conducted by Bernie Wayne, official songsmith for the televised pageant. The album represents the best of the songs which Wayne has contributed to the pageant since 1955, including the theme song, "There She Is, Miss America." Four of the tunes will be premiered on this year's televised pageant, September 7.

Sinsheimer, a veteran distributor, has completed arrangements for national distribution of the disk. In Atlantic City, where the pageant is held, the album is already placed in over 40 retail outlets. Two of the larger outlets there have taken spot radio commercials promoting the sale of the LP. In addition, each of the 52 Miss America candidates has received a copy of the album in order to learn the lyrics to "We Are Tomorrow," which they will perform on the telecast. The girls are reportedly carrying the disk with them while making personal appearances in connection with the pageant.



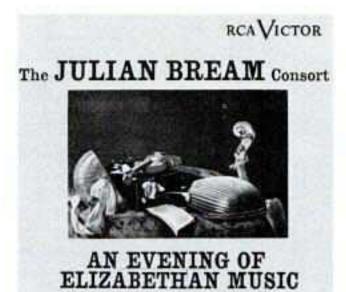
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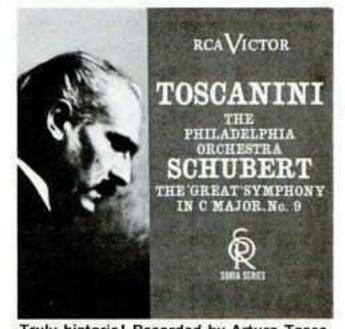
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INDUSTRY BRIEFS

Comes Automation

NEW YORK-A new automated process designed to facilitate production and reduce costs in the manufacture of phonograph records has been developed by Monarch Recording Manufacturing Company, a wholly owned subsidiary of the Cosnat Corporation. The process, developed by engineer Dave Rothstein, controls the storage and feeding of the plastic materials used in the production of records and allied products made by Monarch at its plant in Culver City, Calif.

Cosnat Stock Split

NEW YORK-The board of directors of the Cosnat Corporation, producer, manufacturer and distributor of phonograph records, voted a two-for-onestock split at a meeting held Friday (9).

Pending the approval of the company's stockholders at a special meeting to be held on August 28, the board voted to increase the number of authorized shares from 1,225,000 to

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3,000,000 and declared a sharefor-share split of the common stock.

For the six months ended March 31, 1963, Cosnat reported sales of \$4,547,439 and earnings of \$143,153, equal to 31 cents a share. In fiscal 1962, ended September 30, the company reported sales of \$8,877,-115 and net income of \$162,336, or 39 cents a share. The shares are traded over-the-counter.

Steckler Art Director

NEW YORK-A new administrative lineup has been announced by London Records involving the appointment of Al Steckler, who has been functioning in packaging, display and merchandising for the label, as art director for all London pop, American Group, Richmond and Telefunken LP's.

Bernie Foss has been tapped to supervise production and inventory control of all the label's imported and domestic product. New to the company is Mort Frank, founder of Village Music Shop here, who will handle educational and consumer services for London.

Bat Opens in Balto

BALTIMORE—Bat Records, a new label, has entered the business here. Label, and its publishing subsidiary, Ursula Music, were formed by Joey Welz, vocalist and pianist and former bandleader. Initial release features Welz himself doing a couple of his own tunes. Diskery will also seek out other talent for recordings and will offer the product to other labels for distribution.



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who constantly, and occasionally funnily, tells how he will beat Sonny Liston. He even names the round-eight. He is backed on the album by actors from "The Second City," off-Broadway show.

There's little doubt that Clay, a mighty colorful talker as well as a performer, is newsworthy enough to make this album a must for every dealer window or display counter. The cover itself is wild-showing Clay in white tie and tails, one foot perched on a stool, and next to him such props as a sword, a derby, a flock of encyclopedias and newspapers and magazines containing stories about Cassius Marcellus Clay Jr.

Whether Clay's personality and brashness can turn this LP into a best seller will depend on whether the consumer digs Clay as a record act as well as a fighter. If he can make it sell like he hopes it will ("in the millions") he really will be the greatest.

Columbia is backing the album with a national campaign, encompassing radio contests, dealer displays, copies to sports writers as well as deejays, national advertising and co-op ads. It's probably the heftiest campaign given to a new personality on the label in years-and Cassius can't even sing. But oh, can he talk.

BOB ROLONTZ

Peter, Paul, Mary In Any Language

BURBANK, Calif. - Peter, Paul and Mary will make a three-language attack on the foreign record market for Warner Bros. Records by recording in German, French and Italian.

In addition to the European market, the German, French and Italian recordings will be offered to all licensees of Warner Bros. Records interested.

During their stay in Europe, the trio will take time for concerts, TV and radio appearances.

The label's foreign language efforts will not be limited to Peter, Paul and Mary. The Everly Brothers will make their first German language records for the label September 16 and 17 in Hamburg.

During their Hamburg visit, Teldec will play host to the duo at a special press-radio cocktail reception - and prior to their opening engagement at the local Star Club.

Key to Sales Climb

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Stevie Wonder, whose "Twelve-Year-Old Genius" album is a sock seller. And Trini Lopez' LP called "Trini Lopez at P.J.'s" is also in the upper sales reaches.

Coming along strongly on the new product front are the Tymes' "So Much in Love," the Kingston Trio's "Sunny Side," Nancy Wilson's "Hollywood — My Way," Bobby Vinton's "Blue on Blue," "Wipe Out," by the Surfaris, Johnny Cash's "Ring of Fire," Lawrence Welk's "Scarlett O'Hara," Roy Orbison's "In Dreams," "Frank Fontaine Sings Like Crazy," "Johnny" with Johnny Mathis, the New Christy Minstrels' "Ramblin'," and Tony Bennett's "This Is All I Ask."

DISK DEALS FOR DEALERS

A summary of promotional opportunities for dealers by manufacturers and distributors currently offering records at special terms. Shown where available are starting and expiration dates for each deal as well as the date of issue and page number of the original news story and/or advertisement providing details of each promotion. Please consult these for full information

ATLANTIC-ATCO—Expires August 31, 1963. Started July 24, 1963. Special 15 per cent discount on new Atlantic and Atco releases and catalog

COTTONTOWN JUBILEE—Expires August 31, 1963. Started July 20, 1963. Bluegrass LP by Cousin Jake and Uncle Josh; One free with every three purchased. STARDAY—Expires August 31, 1963. Started July 15, 1963.

Fourth annual Country Music Sales Spectacular. Buy 10, get two free on entire Starday catalog of 150 LP's and 20 EP's in color jackets. BLUE NOTE—Expires August 31, 1963. Started July 29, 1963.

A 10 per cent discount on entire catalog, including new releases by Art Blakey and Freddie Roach.

LAURIE—Expires September 15, 1963. Started June 1, 1963. Big 15 Plan on New Dion LP, "Dion Sings the 15 Million Sellers." Plan runs for 15 weeks and includes special incentives to distributors.

COLUMBIA—Expires September 25, 1963. Started July 22, 1963. On all purchases during this period, dated billing will be available to qualified accounts. Newly announced year-round prices of \$2.25 for \$3.98 LP's and \$2.81 for \$4.98 LP's, with 10 per cent quarterly exchange privilege starts at once.

A 15 per cent discount on all new releases and catalog, including all disks and tapes. Dated billing, one-third each for three months following month

EPIC—Expires September 27, 1963. Started July 15, 1963.

ABC-PARAMOUNT, IMPULSE, CHANCELLOR, TANGERINE—Expires September 30, 1963. Started June 22, 1963. On all new releases and entire catalog of all four labels 121/2 per cent discount.

JAY-GEE—Expires September 30, 1963. Started June 24, 1963. Buy 100, pay for 85 on Jubilee and Josie new releases and catalog product.

RCA VICTOR-VICTROLA-CAMDEN—Expires September 30, 1963. Started July 29, 1963.

A 12 per cent discount on all new releases and catalog of the three labels for both disks and tape. Dating privileges also available.

COLPIX—Expires September 30, 1963. Started June 24, 1963. New "Winner . . . Take All" play: On new pop releases, buy 100, get 20 free. Same deal applies on children's catalog items. On all other items, buy 100, get 10 free.

DOOTO—Expiration indefinite. Started May 1, 1963. On all Dooto album product-buy five, get one free,

ORIGINAL SOUND—Expiration indefinite. Started June 25, 1963.

Entire LP catalog: Buy 10, get one free. One hundred per cent exchangeable. COMMAND—Expiration indefinite. Started June 24, 1963.

One-free-for-six-purchased deal on seven new releases and entire catalog. WARNER BROS.—Expires September 23, 1963. Started July 29, 1963. Buy 100, get 15 fee on all new releases, plus 130 LP catalog. Ninety-day deferred billing, with one-third payments due October, November and December. Regular 10 per cent return privilege applies.

TAMLA-MOTOWN-GORDY—Expiration indefinite. Started July 15, 1963.

RIAA Devises 'Hit' Seal for LP Covers

NEW YORK - The Record Association has designed a seal to be imprinted on album covers designating the LP is an authenticated best seller.

Containing the RIAA emblem in the center, the seal carries the legend "Gold Record Award" and the words "audited and certified by" above the RIAA emblem.

The merchandising aid is being made available to record manufacturers whose albums have already qualified for the RIAA Gold Award.

Liberty Buying Continued from page 1

and blues and pop fields. He built the firm into one of the strongest independent labels in the field. Imperial's strength during the past decade attracted numerous bids from other interests seeking to enter the record industry.

Chudd told Billboard he plans to enter the broadcasting field now that he has left the disk manufacturers' ranks. In past years, Chudd sought to buy into several radio station properties. His acquisition of a station property will mark his return to broadcasting, the field he left in the mid-1940's when he entered the disk realm.

Avnet's Imperial purchase gives it its third record label. Liberty also handles the Dolton label which it purchased several years ago. Purchase price of Imperial was not revealed but was estimated at in excess of \$2 million.

Preview Shown In Own Home

NEW YORK-United Artists Records has launched a nationwide promotion contest offering a Hollywood sneak preview of a major UA film in the winner's home.

Beginning September 1, a major promotion drive on the entire catalog of UA Records film music will be inaugurated by the diskery featuring five current albums: Ferrante and Teicher's "Love Themes From Cleopatra," the original film music from "Irma La Douce," "Mondo Cane," "Dr. No" and "The Great Escape."

Each of the featured albums will contain an entry blank to the United Artists Film Festival Contest with the sneak preview as the prize. The latest in sound equipment and a projectionist will be flown anywhere in the United States. Second prize will be a portable stereo record player and third prize, 35 assorted UA albums.

NEW TRACK TO 20TH-FOX

NEW YORK - The soundtrack album from "Of Love and Desire," 20th Century-Fox romantic drama starring Merle Oberon, Steve Cochran and Curt Jurgens, will be released by 20th Century-Fox records this month.

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The riot is being caused by songstress - comedienne Kay Stevens-who may be a newcomer to Gotham's night club scene, but no novice when it comes to putting on a thoroughly entertaining and polished performance.

A tall, vivacious looking carrot top with a neatly turned ankle, Miss Stevens moves on stage with the agility and grace of a gazelle. She is equally as quick on her feet with the quips and ad libs, and had a ball trading repartee from visiting celebs such as Peter Donald, Jack E. Leonard and Eydie Adams.

The raucous redhead can be compared with Gwenn Verdon, Lucille Ball, and at times, Phyllis Diller.

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Fair Monday night (12).

REVIEW

to Know You" or dramatically singing "Somebody," Kay gets the notes and holds them.

One of the most enjoyable bits in Miss Stevens' act is her rapid switching on "Sister Kate" from the naive-pixie to the sexy femme fatale.

Kay's reply to the audience's enthusiastic applause on opening night was: "This is it for me -I've got no candy store."

There's little doubt that Kay Stevens will have to worry about where to go from here. With Jerry Lewis offering her a permanent slot on his forthcoming two-hour Saturday night ABC-TV stanza, Broadway producers vying for her signature, and club owners wiring from near and far, the problem only seems to be with whom.

GIL FAGGEN

HAWK, WEBSTER

Tall Reeds in the Village

NEW YORK — Veteran reed men have all but taken over the west side of Greenwich Village. Two of the area's top night clubs are filled these nights with the sound of ageless tenor sax work of Coleman Hawkins at the Village Gate and Ben Webster at the Half Note.

The Hawkins outing is especially noteworthy for, on Tuesday (13), the club held a special night for the Hawk to commemorate his 40th anniversary in jazz. Hawkins, who has a compendium of jazz history in every note, first recorded with

Fletcher Henderson in 1923; but his playing has never been dated. He was one of the first established stars to use the likes of Dizzy Gillespie and Max Roach on recording dates.

Webster is another ageless Henderson alumnus who came to the band at a later date in 1933 and 1934 but really achieved stardom with Duke Ellington in 1939 through 1943. He is working with a quartet at the Half Note that showcases bright young pianist Dave Fishberg, a recording find in his own right, and drummer Mel Lewis.

TV GUEST APPEARANCES BY RECORD TALENT

AUGUST 19-25

(All Times Eastern Daylight Saving)

MONDAY 19-HARMONICATS The Columbia Records artists will be guests on the Tonight show, starring

Johnny Carson (NBC-TV, 11:15-1 a.m.). MONDAY 19-JOANIE SOMMERS

Joanie will be seen tonight on the Westinghouse tape-syndicated Steve Allen show. She records for Warner Bros.

TUESDAY 20-DAVID TROY This Canadian folksinger will be introduced by Paul Anka on Talent Scouts

(CBS-TV, 8:30-9:30 p.m.). Troy was formerly with the Diamonds.

TUESDAY 20-FRANKIE LAINE Singer will be among the guests on the Tonight show (NBC-TV, 11-15-1 a.m.)

TUESDAY 20-JIMMY DURANTE Having just released his LP for Warner Bros., Durante makes rare TV appear-

ance on the Steve Allen Show.

WEDNESDAY 21-FLATT & SCRUGGS

Country singers will sing two numbers tonight on the Beverly Hillbillies (CBS-TV, 9-9:30 p.m.).

WEDNESDAY 21-SHELLEY BERMAN, JOANIE SOMMERS Both will be guests tonight on the Steve Allen show.

THURSDAY 22-BENNY GOODMAN SEXTET, JAYE P. MORGAN, STAN GETZ All will be members of the cast of the Lively Ones (NBC-TV, 9:30-10 p.m.). Vic Damone hosts series.

THURSDAY 22-KAY STARR

Steve Allen plays host to vocalist Starr, on Westinghouse tape-syndicated show. FRIDAY 23-DICK GREGORY, LES PAUL & MARY FORD, BEYOND THE FRINGE CAST All will participate in the Jack Paar Program this evening (NBC-TV,

10-11 p.m.). FRIDAY 23-JACKIE MASON

Verve comedy maestro is among the guests on the Steve Allen show.

SATURDAY 24-SMOTHERS BROTHERS, TARRIERS, OSCAR BRAND,

SHIRLEY ABICAIR Folk talent will be featured on Hootenanny (ABC-TV, 8:30-9 p.m.). Jack

Linkletter hosts series. SUNDAY 25-KATE SMITH, STEVE LAWRENCE, ANN-MARGRET, VAUGHN MEADER

Above is the impressive lineup of talent which will appear on tonight's Ed Sullivan show (CBS-TV, 8-9 p.m.). The national network TV guest appearances listed above provide outstanding promotional op-

portunities for alert, aggressive record dealers and for all others who can benefit from the exposure of these record artists to millions of consumers. This chart should be used as a calendar around which to plan window, counter and other displays by which the TV appearances can be merchandised to the record-buying public.

TALENT ON TOUR

(Top record talent in top record towns this week)

EAST

Phyllis Diller will be on stage at the Royal Box at the Americana Hotel from August 19 through September 7. . . . Jerry Vale begins a three-week gig at the Copacabana on Thursday (22). . . On Saturday (24) Peter, Paul and Mary will appear in concert at Convention Hall, Asbury Park, N. J. . . . Atlantic City will sport the talents of Al Martino at the 500 Club (23), Roy Hamilton at Basin Street (23) and Frankie Avalon at the Black Orchid (23). . . . Joni James plays the Manor Supper Club in Wildwood, N. J., from August 23 through September 2. . . . Billy Eckstine will headline at the Frolics in Revere Beach, Mass., for one week, starting August 25. . . . On Sunday (25) Paul Anka opens at the Steel Pier in Atlantic City. . . . Guest star at the Berkshire Music Barn in Lenox, Mass. (24), is Theodore Bikel.

REVIEW

Corinne Bucci

Monday nights are reserved for the hootenannics at Folk Village in the heart of New York's Greenwich Village. The drum-sized stage is turned over to any amateur or professional performer who has the gutsguitar in hand-to brave the shoulder-to-shoulder crowds.

Monday (12) I had the good fortune of witnessing a performance of a brand-spanking-new singer by the name of Corinne Bucci.

Miss Bucci, a 19-year-old dark-haired beauty with deep set brown eyes, sang "Yarow," "Will You Go Lassie" and "Virgin Mary" with an ethereal freshness and clarity that even penetrated the usually apathetic folknick audience. It was Corinne's first public performance. It most certainly will not be her GIL FAGGEN

MIDWEST

Featured at the Ohio Valley Jazz Festival in Cincinnati will be Roland Kirk (23), the Dave Brubeck Quartet (24), and Oscar Peterson (25). . . . Jackie Mason goes in at Baker's Keyboard Lounge in Detroit for a week starting August 19.

WEST

Peter Nero will give a concert this Saturday (24) at the Hollywood Bowl. . . . The Lagoon, in Salt Lake City area, will feature Stan Kenton and his band this weekend.

WB Signs New Comic Cosby

HOLLYWOOD - Warner Bros. - Reprise Records has signed the hot new comic, Bill Cosby, and will cut a comedy LP with him shortly. Cosby made a name for himself with his appearance on the Johnny Carson show a few weeks ago, when Allan Sherman subbed for Carson. He is set for a "Hootenanny" TV show shot in October, and for an appearance on the opening Jack Paar show in September.

Judy Lynn Repeats On Ernie Ford TV-er

LAS VEGAS — Climaxing a six-week tour of one-nighters, Judy Lynn, c.&w. singer heard on the United Artists label, will make another appearance on the Tennessee Ernie Ford show on ABC-TV Wednesday (21).

On Thursday (22) Miss Lynn goes into the Golden Nugget, Las Vegas, for another threeweek engagement. Her appearance on the Ernie Ford show will be her second one in recent weeks, with four more appearances slated before the end of the year.

ARTISTS' BIOGRAPHIES

For your programming use here are pertinent facts about hot disk artists. If clipped and pasted on 3 by 5 cards these biographies will help you build a convenient file of such data.



THE RAN-DELLS (Chairman)

PERSONAL MANAGER: Steve Rappaport, BOOKING OFFICE: Continental Booking. NAMES: Steve Rappaport, John Spirt. AGES: Rappaport, 20; Spirt, 16. HOME TOWN: Villas, New Jersey. HOBBIES: Water skiing, surfing. BACKGROUND: About four months ago, the Ran-Dells, who are cousins, walked into the Bell Sound studios

with a record where Ed Kissack heard it. Under Kissack's supervision they dubbed in the vocal and sounds that made "Martian Hop" a hit on London's Chairman label. Steve and Johnny are now busy making personal appearances to promote their new hit single. Both will return to college in the fall.

LATEST SINGLE: "Martian Hop" is starred at No. 44 on Billboard's Hot 100.

ANDREA CARROLL (Big Top Records)

PERSONAL MANAGER: Gene Carroll. REAL NAME: Andrea Lee De Capite. BIRTHDAY: October 3, 1946. HOME TOWN: Cleveland. EDUCATION: High shool. BACKGROUND: Andrea Carroll made her television debut singing "Don't Cry Joe" and created quite a stir by shedding real tears. At three she made her first club



date at Cleveland's Alpine Village. Andrea has held the titles of "Little Miss Cleveland and "Little Miss Ohio" and in 1954 won the Cleveland News "Star Nite Contest" judged by Perry Como, Pattie Page and Nat King Cole. In 1955 she won the Walt Disney National Talent Contest. She was a regular on the Gene Carroll Talent Show from 1959 to 1961. Through Carroll, who is her manager, she signed a five-year contract with Gene Goodman of Regent Music. The day before her 14th birthday she made her first recording "Young and Lonely" on the Epic label. Since then she has recorded several songs including "Gee Dad" and "Miss Happiness." Her latest hit release on the Big Top label, "It Hurts to Be Sixteen," isn't hurting the sixteen year old songstress in the least.

LATEST SINGLE: "It Hurts to Be Sixteen" is in the No. 51 slot on the Hot 100.





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Budget Record Makers See Bullish, Expanding Market

By BOB ROLONTZ

NEW YORK - The budget business will continue to prosper, according to Cy Leslie, president of Pickwick International, corporate name for the largest independent producer of budget (99 cent) records. These sentiments are echoed by Phil Landwehr, president of Premier Albums, one of Pickwick's strongest competitors in the budget field. Both Leslie, with his four budget labels (Design, Grand Prix, Rondo and Hurrah) and Landwehr with his four (Coronet, Spinarama, Celebrity and Parade) are bullish on the future of a business where the low sales price leaves little margin for error.

The budget end of the disk business, on the independent level, is led by Leslie's Pickwick firm, which grossed over \$5,000,000 for the fiscal year ending April 30, 1963, a substantial increase over its 1962 figure of over \$4,000,000. Premier Records grossed about \$4,250,000 in its most recent fiscal year also a substantial boost for Premier.

Other solid budget lines are Ambassador, the large firm owned by Synthetic Plastics, one of the pioneers in the budget field; Dave Miller's Miller International firm, with its Stereo-Fidelity and Somerset labels, whose "101 Strings" are a name act on a budget line; Crown Records, the budget

label operated by the Bahari Bros. on the West Coast, and Strand Records, Sid Pastner's East Coast-based budget diskery. These six labels dominate the indie budget field.

There is a new label on the West Coast called Sutton that is making healthy strides. And there are a few smaller budget lines like MVP in New York. Two old time budget labels,

Tops, and Eli Oberstein's Rondo, are now part of Pickwick.

There are many 99-cent kiddie labels as well, like Pickwick's Happy Time, Premier's United Artist's kid series, etc. Pickwick also makes a budget label just for the Sears chain, called International Award.

According to Leslie the key things in running a successful (Continued on page 18)

Camden Is Hallmark of Growing **Low-Price Strength of Majors**

NEW YORK - The RCA Victor Camden label is enjoying the best sales year in its history. The label, the largest of all the low-price lines, had a sales increase of 34 per cent for the first six months of 1963 over the first six months of 1962, and sales are up 67 per cent over the first six months of 1961.

Victor's Camden label is understood to do over between \$8,000,000 and \$9,000,000 worth of business per year, making the label almost twice as large as its nearest competitor, in either the low-price or budget fields. Camden's competitors from the major labels are Columbia's low-price Harmony line, the Decca Vocalion LP's, and the Mercury Wing albums. These labels retail their low price product for the same price as Canden, \$1.98 per mono LP and \$2.98 per stereo LP. Although all of these competing labels have excellent product and first-rate packaging, they have not made the same impact in the field as the Camden line.

The reasons for this are possibly because Camden has gone out to build names for the label. The Living Strings and the Living Voices (under the direction of Anita Kerr) have turned into solid selling names for Camden (soon to be issued are the Living Guitars). The Living Strings, originally conceived as an answer to Stereo Fidelity's "101 Strings," have

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CLASSICAL TARGET: THE NEW COLLECTOR

By BARRY KITTLESON

NEW YORK — Low-priced classical album product is the focus of a great deal of enthusiasm these days as an outlet for quality performance by established performers. It is generally conceded that low-priced product is not in any direct competition with a label's regular priced items since its appeal is to an entirely different market-specifically the new collector-but in the past month the increased amount of available product has set up strong competition on its own level.

Directly on the heels of RCA Victor's ressurrection of the Victrola label (Billboard, August 10), Capitol Records has entered the low-priced merchandise field with the introduction of its new line, Paperback Classics. While Victrola's initial release consisted of 15 albums, Paperback Classics will number 20. The new Capitol line will be priced at \$1.98 mono and \$2.98 stereo.

Dunn Explains

In a statement to Billboard, Lloyd W. Dunn, vice-president of Capitol Records, explained why Capitol had not issued a low-priced classical line until now. Said Dunn: "Perhaps we felt it was inconsistent with our company's image of quality. Or perhaps we were waiting for just the right formula. In any event, for the first time in our history we are introducing a low-priced line of classics. These records are the same high quality as our regular Capitol

and Angel classics. Savings are picked up in such areas as packaging, label and other categories. Savings in mills are significant in an operation of this kind because the profits can be measured in the same terms."

Dunn alluded to the book industry's successful paperback programs in providing the public (especially the new collector) with a "basic classical library" at a substantial savings. The quality of content would, of course, said Dunn, still remain.

Capitol's first release in Paperback Classics will include the performances of pianists Leonard Pennario, Rudolf Firkusny, John Browning and Solomon; harpist Marcel Grandjany; and conductors Erich Leinsdorf, William Steinberg, (Continued on page 18)

PRICES MAKE A DIFFERENCE

NEW YORK — There has been some confusion in the trade over the difference between budget records and lowpriced records, etc. The independent manufacturers like Premier, Pickwick, Ambassador, Miller International, etc., contend that the 99-cent LP's are budget disks. The \$1.98, \$2.50 and \$2.98 records, they claim, are properly called lowpriced LP's.

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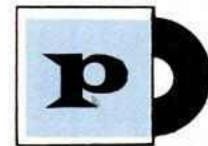
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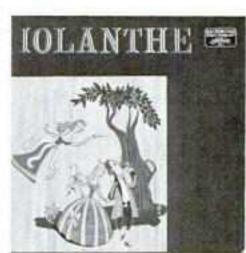
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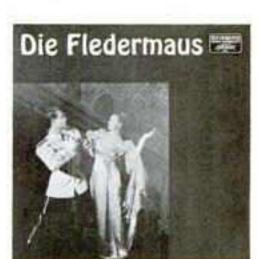
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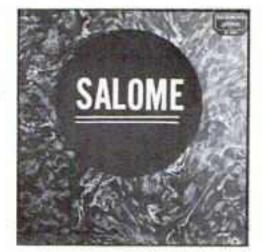
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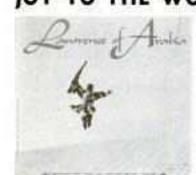
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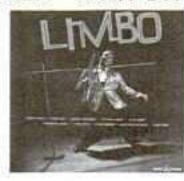
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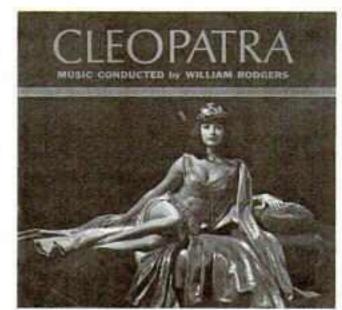
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turned into a full line in themselves. All of the Living Strings and Living Voices recordings are newly made for the label, thus are able to use latest sound techniques and modern recording methods.

In addition the Camden label now has a full country and western line as well as a pop line. Ray Clark, manager of product and planning for Camden, said recently that the new country line, and the Living Strings and Voices had helped broaden the appeal of Camden product.

Camden Records, like Harmony, Vocalion and Wing, are sold both through record dealers and chain, variety, and supermarket stores. The importance that Victor has placed on rack sales of Camden is noted by the fact that Victor was one of the first record firms to work with the Handleman Company of Detroit to handle its Camden product. Just two weeks ago Victor showed its entire Camden release for spring to rack jobbers at the semi-annual NARM meet in Chicago.

Victor, Columbia, Mercury and Decca back up their low-price product with much consumer advertising, and a lot of point-of-sale material. The Camden fall campaign, for instance, will include four-color window display, six and three-bin Camden racks, and streamers, supplements and browser cards.

Budget Record Makers See Expanding Market

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budget line are product and planned merchandising. On the product front, Leslie says that budget labels are now trading up in product. They have gotten into a major label concept in packaging he feels, with good four-color covers, and with the better product and package are now reaching a more sophisticated audience.

Leslie calls his product "presold merchandise." "By that I
mean," said Leslie, "packages
by name artists, and material
that is the current groove. We
follow the charts consistently,"
he noted, "and thus we release
bossa nova albums when the
bossa is hot, country albums at
the right time, scores of musical shows while they are at
their peak, etc. Right now we
are coming out with a hootenanny album."

On the merchandising level the Pickwick president said that his firm has worked out merchandising programs with syndicates, stores, chains, etc., to help them sell records. These programs cover all aspects of budget record merchandising, from the proper racks to use in the stores to the basic catalog of salable merchandise, point-of-sale merchandising aids, monthly bulletins listing new product plus re-order and inventory blanks, etc.

Additional aspects of the type of merchandising programs that Pickwick has carried out with chains on an exclusive basis, include periodic price promotions, going over inventory to exchange slow-selling items in the stores for faster moving merchandise, an analysis with the store buyer of his individual problems. "These exclusive programs have been most successful in selling merchandise," said Leslie.

Most budget records are sold in chain and variety stores and supermarkets, however there is a trend toward more record store sales. Leslie claims that supermarkets and variety stores are expanding their budget record sections at the expense of higher-priced merchandise because their turnover is better with the 99-cent LP's, and they are easier to handle, since they rarely go out of style.

Leslie sells his budget lines direct to rack jobbers, and to chains and syndicate stores, as do most other budget labels. He noted that he has some distributors covering certain markets as well.

Leslie said that some of the "schlock" merchants in the lowprice field a while back had hurt the image of the budget lines, but that things were much better now. He said that it was possible to make out with 99cent LP's on condition that a large enough volume could be reached, and expenses were held to prudent levels. "A budget manufacturer must also diversify and have other price lines in addition to his budget labels," Leslie said.

Both Premier and Pickwick have higher-priced lines in addition to their budget labels. Pickwick has Kimberly, and a high-price language series that does very well, according to Leslie. Premier has its Directional label which lists at \$5.98, its Baronet label at \$3.98, and its Premier label at \$4.98. Moreover, Premier owns its own pressing plant, "which enables us," said Landwehr, "to operate at a high profit margin."

In addition, Premier has diversified to the point where it now owns its own successful music publishing firm run by vet musican man Goldie Goldmark. Music firm has had a number of hit tunes in its relatively short career, and Goldmark has produced, or helped produce some of the single records that have turned into hits for the publishing firm.

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Classical Target: New Collector

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Rudolf Kempe, Joseph Levine and Leopold Stokowski. The material is primarily of the standard repertoire, including the piano concerti of Tchaikovsky, Beethoven, Grieg and Schumann; symphonies of Beethoven, Dvorak, Tchaikovsky, Brahms, Haydn and Mozart; as well as a program of ballet music, operatic overtures and the inevitable Rimsky-Korsakov "Scheherazade."

Capitol plans regular releases in the Paperback Classics series, but the degree of regularity has not been officially established as yet. There is also the possibility that future releases will include the works of vocal artists.

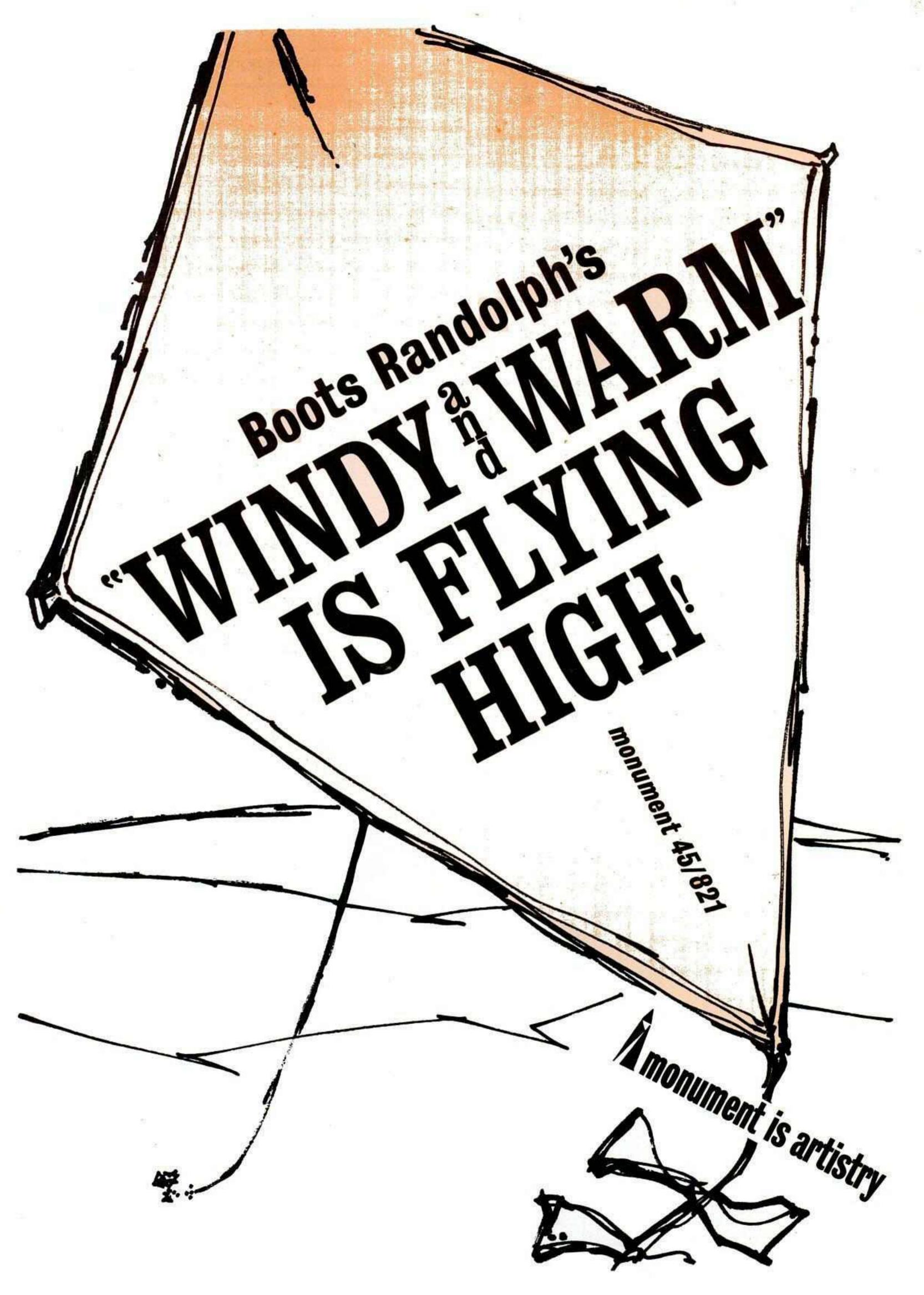
New Collector Target

Characteristic of most of the current low-priced divisions of the major labels is the issuance of catalog cut-outs of the classical staples which will appeal to the budget-minded new collector. The continued success of such lines as London's Richmond and Telefunken labels, Mercury's Wing classical LP's, and Victor's success with the Camden classics have estab-

lished a significant need for such product.

One of the pioneers in the area of low-priced classics was Vanguard Records. Over the past 10 years, Vanguard Demonstration Records (\$1.98) and Stereo Lab (\$2.98) have issued a conservative catalog of some 25 releases. Though sales have been satisfactory for the label, Maynard Solomon reports that sales at this level have "slightly fallen off in the past couple of years. Competition on performance and packaging has become increasingly significant." Solomon reported that his all time best selling low-priced classic item was the Scheherazade performance conducted by Mario Rossi, followed by Mozart's Symphony No. 40.

Columbia Records, which has a limited number of classical items in its Harmony series, reports that the company has no plans at present to increase its schedule in this area. It has been Columbia's policy to limit the number of catalog cut-outs which would normally be the source of material on the low-priced level.



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COUNTRY MUSIC CORNER

By BILL SACHS

On October 15 Faron Young and Billy Deaton, the latter of San Antonio, will inaugurate "The Faron Young Show," a live, 15-minute air show, five days a week, to be offered to radio stations in tape form. . . . Wayland Stubblefield, promotion man with Pamper Music, Goodlettsville, Tenn., has just concluded a three-week swing through Arkansas, Texas, Louisiana and Western Tennessee, during which much time was put in on the Timi Yuro-Ray Price record of the Hank Cochran tune, "Make the World Go Away." Ray Price spent August 6-8 in Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston and New Orleans to promote the tune, and Columbia Records' Tom Cade and Hal Bakke entertained deejays at a luncheon in Dallas in honor of Ray.

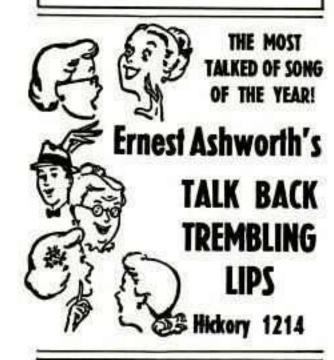
Leon McAuliff and the Cimarron Boys return to the Golden Nugget, Las Vegas, September 26 to remain through October 9. From October 16-20 they tour for Hap Peebles, Wichita, Kan., promoter, with stops skedded for Salina, Kan.; Lincoln, Neb.; Omaha, Wichita and Kansas City, Mo. For the next several weeks McAuliff and his lads are routed for Holiday Inn, Clovis, N. M., August 21; Woodward, Okla., 22; Alpine Inn, Los Animas, Colo., 23; Garden County Fair, Oshkosh, Neb., 24; Peace Air Force Base, Portsmouth, N. H., 30; Don Larkin's Wildhorse Ballroom, Trenton, N. J., August 31; Copa Club, Secaucus,

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N. J., September 1, and Center City Ballroom, New York, 6-8.

The Pee Wee King Country Carnival of Music, with Minnie Pearl, is set for the Michigan State Fair, Detroit, late this month, and follows with two days in Charlotte, Mich., with Johnny and the Hurricanes. Early in September the Pee Wee King band joins the Frank Fontaine show, with Peggy March, at the Fairgrounds Coliseum in Louisville, which will be followed by a trip to Kindley Air Force Base in Bermuda. Pee Wee is doing back knip-ups these days over the fact that Paramount Pictures has taken his tune, "Bonaparte's Retreat," for a big movie coming up.

Fred Foster, president of Monument Records and chief of the label's a.&r. department, has signed songwriter-artist Freddy Hart to a recording pact. Hart has been on the Columbia label the last six years. . . . J. Hal Smith has changed the name of his firm, Curtis Artists Productions, Goodlettsville, Tenn., to Hal Smith Artists Productions. Haze Jones continues as executive administrator, with company personnel, artist line-up, phone number and address remaining the same. . . . The Acorn Sisters, working under the guidance of Joe Grieshop, head of Acorn Records, show their wares at Millie Ruton's Hillbilly Park, Newark, Ohio, September 1. . . . Sonny James is set for Monticello, Ia., August 23: Minneapolis, 24, and Dallas, 31.

Jim Reeves jets to Johannesburg, South Africa, for the September 26 world premiere of "Kimberly Jim," the musical which stars Jim in the role of a singing soldier of fortune. The flick will be released in the United States late this year under the title of "Kings Are Wild." . . . A country music

Wyatt to Standard



PAUL WYATT

NASHVILLE—Jimmy Tyner, president of Standard Pressing Company, Nashville, has announced the appointment of Paul Wyatt to national sales manager of Standard. Wyatt leaves his position as manager of Davidson County Music Publishing Company to assume his new position. Earlier he headed Capitol Records operations in Nashville.

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JERRY BRADLEY is shown supervising the signing of Jan Crutchfield to a writer's contract with Forest Hills Publishing Company, Nashville. Jerry and Harold Bradley opened the new pubbery in the heart of Music City several weeks ago.

Young, Billy Walker, Minnie Pearl, Bill Anderson, Skeeter Davis, Carl Butler and Stonewall Jackson is set for stops at Hamilton, Ont., August 29; London, Ont., 30, and Toronto, 31. . . . Floyd J. Badeaux, of Spindletop Records, Port Arthur, Tex., has just released nationally a disk by 15-year-old Jim Miller, his first. Sides are "Four Reasons" b.w. "Go Ask of the Stars." Distribution is being handled by World-Wide Record Distributing Company of New York.

Warren Smith cut his first session in two years for Liberty in Los Angeles last week. It also marks his first release in 14 months. Sides are "Big City Ways" and "That's Why I Sing in a Honky Tonk." Deejays needing a copy of the above platter may air mail a request on their station letterhead to Slick Norris, P. O. Box 653, Highlands, Tex., 77562. Slick also has copies available of Johnny and Jonie Moseby's "Who's Cheating Who," Billy Walker's "Heart, Be Careful" and Ernest Ashworth's "Talk Back, Trembling Lips." . . . Salem Records' Shirlee Hunter appears as a single at Himmelreich's Grove, near Reading, Pa., August 25, and then with her "New Dominion Barn Dance" show at the Centre Hall, Pa., Fair, August 28, and the Mannington, W. Va., Fair, August 29.

Kitty Wells and Johnny Wright, along with the Tennessee Mountain Boys, Bill Phillips and Harold Morrison, will make five appearances in four days in Texas, showing in Dallas, August 22: Houston, 23: Navasota, 24 San Antonio and New Braunfels, 25. . . . Grandpa Jones plays the Frontier Ranch, Columbus. Ohio, August 25-26, and then joins Hank Snow and the Rainbow Ranch Boys, Minnie Pearl and Cousin Jody for three days at the Michigan State Fair, Detroit, August 29-31. . . . Martha Carson is scheduled for a fourday stand at the Ohio State Fair, Columbus, August 28-31.

Carl and Pearl Butler will make a rare appearance in their home town, Nashville, August 22-23, when they take a break in their schedule for a recording session. They resume their road trek in Columbus, Ga., August 24 with Hank Snow and the Rainbow Boys, Jimmy Newman, the Willis Brothers and Dottie West. . . Stonewall Jackson makes an appearance in East Moline, Ill., August 22, and at Indianapolis, August 24-25.

HOT COUNTRY SINGLES

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		DINDON'U SPECIAL SURVEY
		FOR WEEK ENDING 8/24/63
This Wook	Last	Title, Artist, Label & No. Weeks on Chart
1	1	RING OF FIRE
2	2	ABILENE
3	3	SIX DAYS ON THE ROAD
4	4	GUILTY
5	5	ACT NATURALLY
6	8	TALK BACK TREMBLIN' LIPS
7	6	Bobby Bare, RCA Victor 8183
8	9	YOU COMB HER HAIR
9	7	WE MUST HAVE BEEN OUT OF OUR MINDS
10	11	SANDS OF GOLD
11	13	TIPS OF MY FINGERS 8 Roy Clark, Capital 4956
12	23	MAKE THE WORLD GO AWAY 3 Ray Price, Columbia 42827
13	19	HEY LUCILLE!
14	16	LOVING ARMS
16	18	Hawkshaw Hawkins, King 5712 THE MINUTE YOU'RE GONE
17	22	Sonny James, Capital 4969 LITTLE OLE' YOU
18	10	Jim Reeves, RCA Victor 8193 STILL
19	30	Bill Anderson, Decca 31458 DOWN TO THE RIVER
20	17	Rose Maddox, Capitol 4975 A MILLION YEARS OR SO
21	15	OLD SHOWBOAT
22	24	I GAVE MY WEDDING DRESS AWAY 2 Kitty Wells, Decca 31501
23	20	MY BABY'S NOT HERE
24	25	SWEET DREAMS (Of You)
25 26	28	HEART, BE CAREFUL
27	26	IN THE BACK ROOM TONIGHT 1 Carl Smith, Columbia 42768 SWEETHEARTS IN HEAVEN
28	14	Buck Owens & Rose Maddox, Capitol 4992 I'M SAVING MY LOVE
29		Skeeter Davis, RCA Victor 8176 HALL OF SHAME
30		Melba Montgomery, United Artists 576 8 X 10 1 Bill Anderson, Decca 31521
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WITH THE COUNTRY JOCKEYS

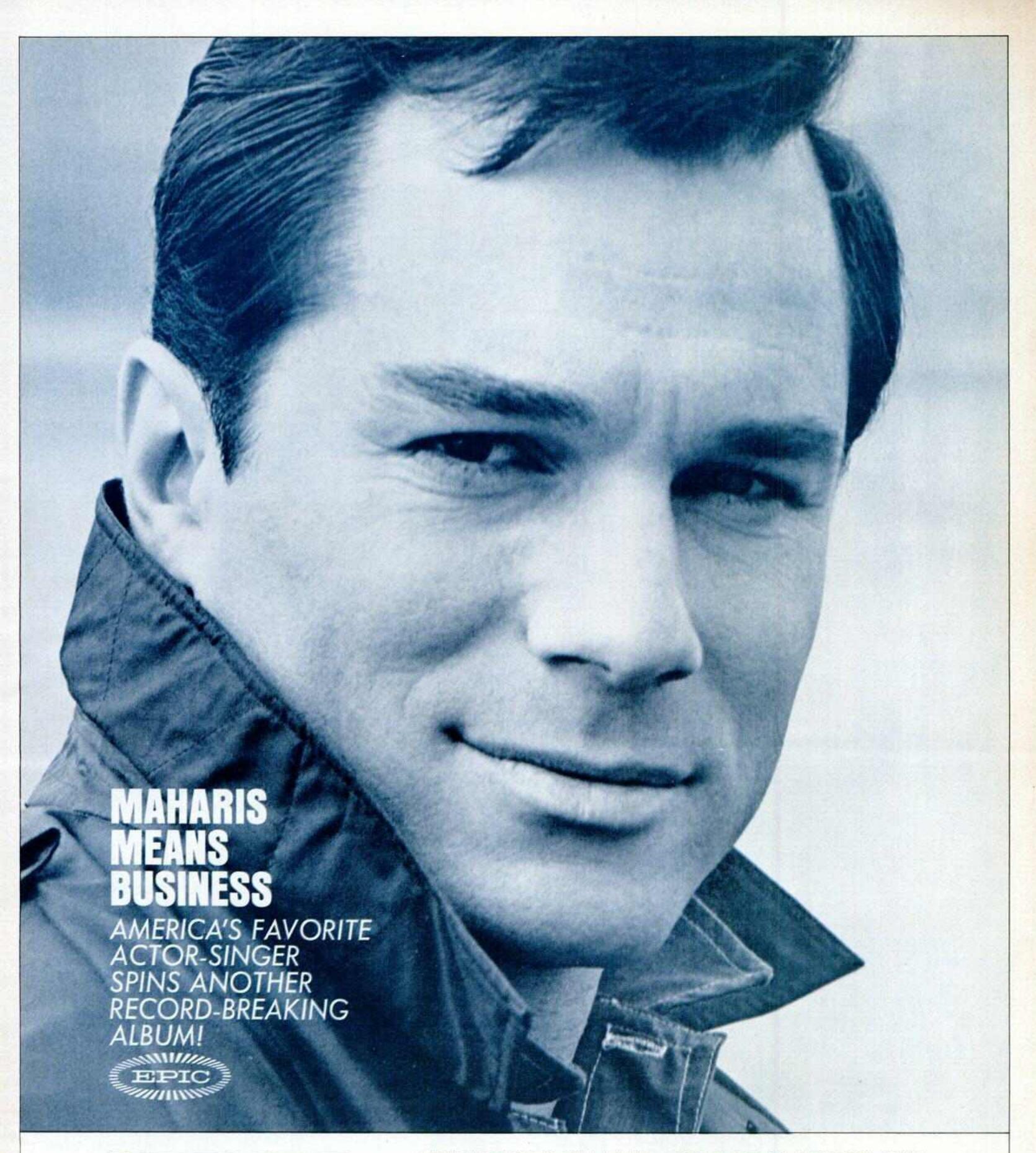
By BILL SACHS

Carl Sauceman, who for many years headed his own group, the Green Valley Boys, has quit the road to spin the country wax and handle station managerial duties at WRAG, Carrollton, Ala. . . . A newcomer to the country music field, Chris Collins has just had his initial release on the new Sleeper Records label. Waxing was done recently in Nashville under direction of Murray Nash. Material for the two sides was written by Carl Fitzgerald, country jock at WMOX, Meridian, Miss. He invites all c.&w. jockeys to write in for a sample copy.

Don Trifiletti, of Manifico Records, 151 Gertrude Road, Mamaroneck, N. Y., has avail-

able samples of the firm's latest c.&w. release, "Forgotten Roses" b.w. "A Letter, a Teardrop, a Heartbreak." Drop Don a line on your station letterhead. The sides were recorded by the Homesteaders. . . . Jay (Buttermilk) Ball has just moved his country music operation to WEEW in Washington, N. C., where he is associated with his old working buddy, Jimmy Newman, WEEW managing owner. Ball is programming two and a half hours of c.&w. and gospel music daily. Jay says he can always use c.&w. material.

Bonnie Owens, a new artist on the Tally Records label, invites jockeys to write in for a sample of her new release, (Continued on page 41)

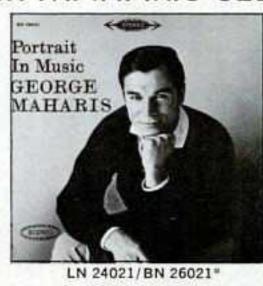




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JIMMY WITHERSPOON, Prestige recording artist, and Carl Proctor, Summit (Chicago) promotion director, purchase Miss Freedom "Two-For-One" coupon books from contestants Priscilla Thompson and Sonji Roy.

R & B ROUNDUP

By NICK BIRO (Chicago Office)

The opening of Ewart G. Abner Jr.'s Dart Record Sales offices on South Michigan Avenue was the big news here last week. While Bill Sheppard and Art Sheridan are continuing their long-time association with Abner, Barbara Gardner (who also exited Vee Jay with Abner and Sheppard) will probably branch off on her own. She's talking about a long-planned book on jazz. Barb's a talented writer and has been a contributing editor for Downbeat for years. Incidentally, Barbara and her husband, Carl Proctor (promotion

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man for Summit here), are moving into a new apartment in Hyde Park. Their neighbors are Sid McCoy and Oscar Brown

Duke Ellington held a preview here last week of his Century of Negro Progress Exhibition Review to be held at McCormick Place, August 16 through September 2. Ellington is the director and producer and has written all of the music and lyrics for the show which will have a cast of 60. The show was a real "labor of love," and shows it. . . . A host of the nation's r.&b. artists, deejays and record industry tradesters will gather in Hollywood next week for the National Association of Radio Announcers (NARA) convention. The Ambassador Hotel will be headquarters. . . . Bob Grafford of Razorback Records, Newport, Ark., writes to tell us he's leased a master to Alley Records, Jonesboro, of the Pacers' new instrumental, "Con-Found-It," b/w "Skeeter Dope."

When Charlie Harder pinchhit for Yvonne Daniells on WYNR, he had a crowd of teenagers picketing the station to ask that he be added to the station roster. They had a petition with 1,800 signatures. Charlie is 19, and bills himself as the "World's Oldest Teenager." . . . Joann Downey, wife of deejay S. Morton (Doc) Downey, is enciente. . . . Potter Distributing Company is making some extensive changes in its sales staff. They plan a swingin' staff of gals who are real hip about the record business. . . No one was as



GERALD SIMMS, formerly with the Daylighters, is branching out on his own with a new single, "There Must Be An Answer Somewhere."

HOT R&B SINGLES

Billboard SPECIAL SURVEY

FOR WEEK ENDING 8/24/63

,	This Wook	Wook	Title, Artist, Label & No.	Weeks on Chart
	1	1	FINGERTIPS (Part II)	9
	2	3	PRIDE AND JOY	13
	3	5	JUST ONE LOOK	10
	4	7	MOCKINGBIRD	10
	5	2	EASIER SAID THAN DONE Essex, Roulette 4494	9
	6	10	THE MONKEY TIME	
	7	14	Martha & Vandellas, Gordy 7022	
	8	4	MEMPHIS	
	9	9	(You're the) DEVIL IN DISGUISE Elvis Presley, RCA Victor 8188	
(Telefil	10	11	MY TRUE CONFESSION Brook Benton, Mercury 72135	
	11	6	SO MUCH IN LOVE	
	12	12	WIPE OUT	
	71.77	17	CANDY GIRL Four Seasons, Vee Jay 539	
	14	21	FRANKIE AND JOHNNY Sam Cooke, RCA Victor 8215	
	15	23	HEY GIRL	26
	16	26	PART TIME LOVE	
	17	19	Wilson Pickett, Double L 717 MAN'S TEMPTATION	
	18	24	Gene Chandler, Vee Jay 536 HELLO STRANGER	
	19	18	Barbara Lewis, Atlantic 2184 IT WON'T BE THIS WAY (ALWAYS)	
	20	20	King Pins, Federal 12484 SURF CITY	XXX V25254 2556
	21	8	Jan & Dean, Liberty 55580	
	22	15 13	NO ONE 10453 Ray Charles, ABC-Paramount 10453 JUDY'S TURN TO CRY	
	23 24	16	Lesley Gore, Mercury 72143 NOT ME	
2	25	-	Orlons, Cameo 257 MY BOYFRIEND'S BACK	
	26	22	Angels, Smash 1834 I (WHO HAVE NOTHING)	
	20 27		Ben E. King, Atco 6267 MARTIAN HOP	
	28	- TO	Ron-Dells, Chairman 4403 LITTLE DEUCE COUPE	
	29	25	Beach Boys, Capital 5009 THESE FOOLISH THINGS	narramenta es
	30	30	James Brown & the Famous Flames, King 5767 WHEN A BOY FALLS IN LOVE	
			Mel Carter, Derby 1003	

happy at the O'Hare Inn during Kapp Records' national distributor meeting as WVON's Frank Ward, who frolicked in the pool like an ebullient seal, greeting his many friends with great streams of water.

PICKS AND HYPES: KATZ "Blast of the Week" is "Mickey's Monkey" by the Miracles. . . . Bill Mitchell claims Pittsburgh and Cleveland action on Mc-Kinley Mitchell's "Bit of Soul" on One-Derful. . . . M-S' Bill McCloud is thumping us on "What Can I Do Part 2" by Bobby Marchan on Volt; "Pay Back" Etta James, Argo, and "Bonita" Illinois Jacquet, Argo. . . . Ray Dobard, Music City, writes us that his breakouts include: "Cry Baby" Harnet Mimms and the Enchanters; "Sally Go Round the Roses," the Jaynetts, and "Won't You Come Closer," Jackie Hill. . . . Stan Lewis, of Stan's Record Shop, Shreveport, La., writes to tell us action on "Making

Up" b/w "You Don't Mind Hurting Me," by Ed Forsyth on Chess. He says it was a pick hit on KEEL, Shreveport, and on WNOE, New Orleans.

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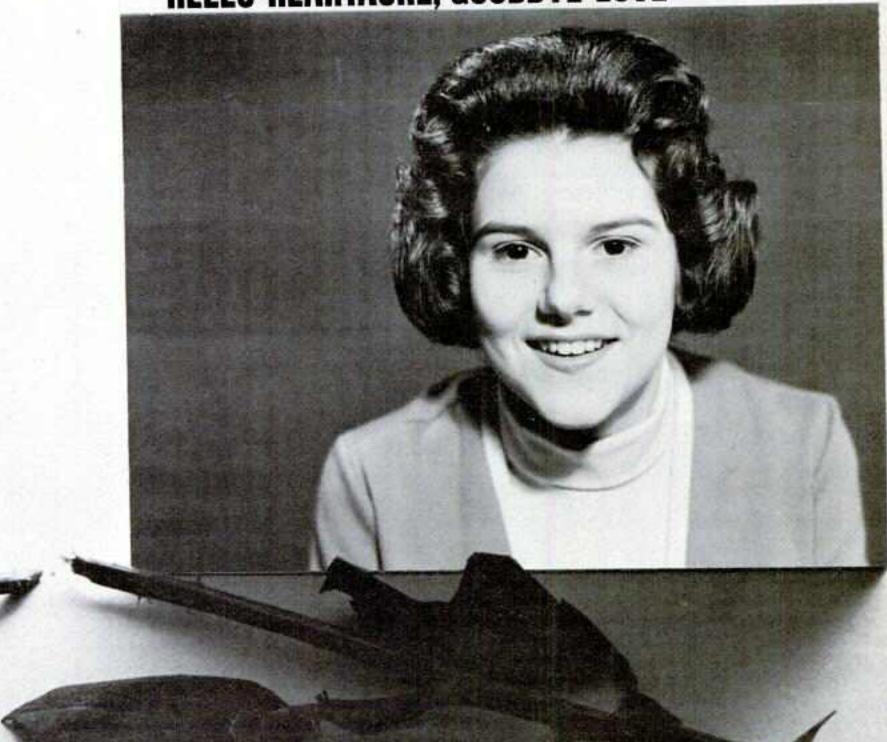
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Len Snider

EVERYONE KNOWS

ALL BOY - 8507

SINGLES

REVIEWS



SPOTLIGHT WINNERS OF THE WEEK

Pop single spotlights are those singles with sufficient sales potential, in the opinion of Billboard's Review Panel, to achieve a listing in the top 50 of Billboard's Hot 100 chart. Spotlight winners in the country music and rhythm and blues categories are selected to achieve a listing on the Country Music or R.&B. charts. Spotlight winners in other categories are selected on the basis of their potential to become top sellers in their respective areas.

SINGLES REVIEW POLICY

Every single sent to Billboard for review is heard by Billboard's Review Panel, and its sales potential is rated within its category of music. Full reviews are presented for Spotlight Picks or Special Merit Picks. All other singles are listed in their respective categories.



POP SPOTLIGHT

LOS MARCELLOS FERIAL

GUANDO CALIENTA EL SOL

(Peer Int'l, BMI) (2:20)— London International 10713

Foreign songs make it here these days and this most attractive Spanish ballad could turn into a big hit in the U.S.A. The ork and chorus handle it warmly, in "Volare" fashion. Tune, also cut by Steve Allen, could grab loads of air time. Flip is "Llorando Me Dormi" (Marks, BMI) (2:03).



POP SPOTLIGHT

FRANK IFIELD

I'M CONFESSIN' (That I Love You)

(Bourne, ASCAP) (2:00)—Capitol 5032

This Frank Ifield record was released last week on Vee Jay due to a mix-up with EMI, but Capitol has now secured it, and it is no longer on the Vee Jay label. It shows off an attractive vocal by the English chanter. Flip is "Waltzing Matilda" (Fisher, ASCAP) (2:23).



POP SPOTLIGHT

LORRAINE AND THE SOCIALITES

ANY OLD WAY

(Luristan, ASCAP) (2:14)

THE CONQUERER

(Garrawak, BMI) (2:14)-Mercury 72163

All for love is the theme of both sides of this new record which displays the considerble vocal talents of Lorraine, showcased by a fine rhythmic arrangement. Both sides are medium tempo ballads and they should appeal solidly to the teen set through the lyric and the beat.



POP SPOTLIGHT

THE JOURNEYMEN

KUMBAYA

(Friendship, BMI) (2:10)

JA-DA

(Feist, ASCAP) (2:22)—Capitol 5031

The Journeymen are an outstanding folk act with a most attractive blend and they show off their warm vocalizing here with a touching reading of "Kumbaya," and an unusual folk-styled interpretation of the oldie "Ja-Da." Both sides could make it. A fine group with a fine record.



POP SPOTLIGHT

MATT LUCAS

OOBY DOOBY
(Hilo-Peer Int'l, BMI) (2:04)—Smash 1840

Matt Lucas follows up his recent hit with an emotion-packed reading of a bright swinger about a twist-styled new dance. He sings it with a touch of the old Little Richard sound, supported by an infectious beat and a frantic arrangement. It has the sound. Flip is "No One Like You" (Rolyn, BMI) (2:35).



POP SPOTLIGHT

THE RUN-A-ROUNDS

UNBELIEVABLE (Comet-Neems-Maresca, ASCAP) (2:05)—

This record has the New York sound but the Run-A-Rounds infuse it with such fervor that it could take off in Philadelphia, Washington and other Eastern markets. It swings and rocks in neat, catchy tempo

and the boys hand it a warm performance. Worth exposure. Flip is "Hooray for Love" (Comet-Neems-Maresca, ASCAP) (2:20).



POP SPOTLIGHT

JOE HINTON

BETTER TO GIVE THAN TO RECEIVE

(Don, BMI) (2:05)—Back Beat 539

Here's a fine rocking twist side, which shows off an exciting vocal by Hinton plus some powerful sax and combo work backing the lad on the mover. A side worth watching. Flip is "There's No in Between" (Don, BMI) (2:20).



POP SPOTLIGHT

LINDA BRANNON

FUNNY FACE

(Gallico, BMI) (2:32)-Epic 9612

Linda Brannon sells this infectious ditty with much appeal as she tells about the boy she loves, aided nicely by dual tracking and sock band backing. A mighty sharp production that could make the lass a well-known name in short order. Strong teen stuff here. Flip is "Will It Last" (Gallico, BMI) (2:21).



POP SPOTLIGHT

LITTLE PEGGY MARCH

HELLO HEARTACHE, GOODBYE LOVE

(Atrium, ASCAP) (2:22)-RCA Victor 8221

Little Peggy March comes through with a tremendous effort on this side, selling the song of heartache with feeling over a first-rate arrangement. Should be another big one for the lass. Flip is "Boy Crazy" (Phase, BMI) (2:20).

BREAKOUT SINGLES

★ NATIONAL BREAKOUTS

WHY DON'T YOU BELIEVE ME . . .

Duprees, Coed 584

REGIONAL BREAKOUTS

These new records, not yet on Billboard's Hot 100, have been reported getting strong sales action by dealers in major market(s) listed in parentheses.

DOWN THE AISLE . . .

Patty LaBelle & the Blue Bells, King 5777 (Sixty-Six, BMI) (Baltimore, Philadelphia)

I'VE GOT A RIGHT TO CRY . . .

Fats Domino, ABC-Paramount 10475 (Recordo, BMI) (New Orleans, Hartford)

DINA . . .

Dore Alpert, A&M 714 (Irving, BMI) (San Francisco)

TALK TO ME . . .

Sunny & the Sunglows, Tear Drop 3014 (Jay & Cee, BMI) (Atlanta)

SALLY, GO 'ROUND THE ROSES . . .

Jaynetts, Tuff 369 (Winlyn, BMI) (San Francisco)



C.&W. SPOTLIGHT

BUCK OWENS

LOVE'S GONNA LIVE HERE

(Bluebook, BMI) (2:00)

GETTING USED TO YOU

(Central Songs, BMI) (2:26)-Capitol 5025

The fine country chanter has a likely twosider here. First up is a bright, bouncy side with an optimistic outlook in the lyric. Good chanting and good backing. Flip is a strong weeper with a bleeding performance. Side gets a solid, dual-track touch. Watch



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JIMMY DURANTE

YOUNG AT HEART

(Cherio, BMI) (2:47)

SEPTEMBER SONG

(De Sylva, Brown & Henderson, ASCAP) (3:09)-Warner Bros. 5382

Durante has a new album out on Warners, full of great old songs and these are two of the best tracks. They've already gotten solid play out of the album, and this single pairing should simply add to the exposure. Fine change-of-pace programming and either could break out.

FOUR-STAR SINGLES

The four-star rating is awarded new singles with sufficient commercial potential in their respective categories to merit being stocked by dealers, onestops and rack jobbers handling that category.

POPULAR

SANDY NELSON

*** Sandy (Travis, BMI) (1:57)-*** Caravan (American Academy of Music, ASCAP) (2:00). IMPERIAL

BOB DYLAN

*** Blowin' in the Wind (Witmark, ASCAP) (2:47)-*** Don't Think Twice, It's All Right (Witmark, ASCAP) (3:37). COLUMBIA 42856

BABY JANE AND THE ROCK-A-BYES

*** Hickory Dickery Dock (Trio. BMI) (2:04)-** Half Deserted Street (Mellin, BMI) (2:25). SPOKANE

LINDA SCOTT

*** Let's Fall in Love (Bourne, ASCAP) (2:08)-*** I Know It You Know It (Kilt, BMI) (2:20). CONGRESS 200

DENNIS REGOR

*** Toys in the Attic (Instrumental) (United Artists, ASCAP) (2:14)

DENNIS REGOR AND THE PAULETTE SISTERS

*** Toys in the Attic (Vocal) (United Artists, ASCAP) (2:35)-CON-**TEMPO 904**

JERICO BROWN

★★★★ Lonely Birthday (Daywin, BMI) (2:59)—★★★ A Paper Rose and a Candy Ring (Daywin, BMI) (2:57). WARNER BROS. 5381

LITTLE ROSE EVANS

*** Minutes and Hours (Glenn. BMI) (2:08)-*** Your Goose Is Cooked (Glenn, BMI) (2:27), TAHOE 2537

LALO SCHIFRIN AND ORK

*** Haunting (Hastings, BMI) (2:23)—★★★ Theme From Dime With a Halo (Miller, ASCAP) (2:34). MGM 13163

KEITH DANIELS AND THE BLUE RIDGE RAMBLERS

*** Uptown Bluegrass (Howard) (1:58) - *** White Lightnin' (Howard) (3:25). KEYSTONE 6202

JERRY GANDY

*** You Better Take Me Home (Eight Note, BMI) (2:13) - *** Mister Moon (Sark, BMI) (2:30). GAMBIT 1108

SIBELIUS WILLIAMS

*** He Gives Me Love (Southern, ASCAP) (1:56)-** My Love. My Love (Mon Dleu) (Southern, ASCAP) (3:00). FELSTED 8680

THE TRIUMPHS

★★★★ Humid (Tuneville, BMI) (2:20)—★★★ Big Dog (Tree, BMI) (2:15). KAB 2600

THE EBB TIDES

*** Low Tide (Mardon-Camp & Canyon, BMI) (2:17)—★★★ Ballad of Jed Clampett (Caroltone, BMI) (1:59). R & R 303

THE SILHOUETTES

*** Rent Man (Williams, BMI) (2:30)-★★★ Your Love Is All I (Need) (Williams, BMI) (2:35). JUN-IOR 993

CHUCK BERRY

*** Sweet Little Sixteen (Arc, BMI) (2:59) — ★★★ Memphis (Arc, BMI) (2:25). CHESS 1866

ED BRUCE

*** See the Big Man Cry (Tuneville-Lyn Lou, BM1) (2:23)--★★★ I Won't Cry Anymore (United Music, (ASCAP) (2:53). WAND 140

LITTLE HOOKS AND THE KINGS

*** Count Your Blessing (Little Rick-Needle, BMI) (2:17) - *** How to Start a Romance (Little Rick-Needle, BMI) (2:17). CHESS 1867

CLARENCE AND CALVIN

*** I Like It (Don, BM1) (2:40) -+ ★★ Somebody Better Come Here Quick (Don, BMI) (2:20). DUKE 365

HAL WATERS

*** Poor Man Livin' in a Rich Man's World (Forrest Hills, BMI) (2:30)-★★★ Poor Ann (Roosevelt, BMI) (2:26), LIBERTY 55611

THE MAJORS *** Your Life Begins (at Sweet 16) (Travis-Rittenhouse, BMI) (2:30)-*** Which Way Did She Go (Travis-Rittenhouse, BMI) (2:52). IM-

DICK AND DEEDEE

PERIAL 5991

*** Where Did the Good Times Go (Odin, ASCAP) (2:34) - *** Guess Our Love Must Show (Odin, ASCAP) (2:02). WARNER BROS.

HAL BLAINE AND THE YOUNG COUGARS

*** (Dance With the) Surfin' Band (Hazelwood, BMI)-+++ The Drummer Plays for Me (Hazelwood, BMI), RCA VICTOR 8223

BOBBY GREGG

*** Kngroo (Part II) (Tie Me Kangaroo Down, Sport) (Beechwood, BMI) (2:16)-** Kootanda (Hill & Range, BMI) (2:36), EPIC 9616

MARION WORTH

*** Play a Blue Guitar (for Me) (Forest Hills, BMI) (2:40)-** In His Own Quiet Way (Southside, BMI) (2:39). COLUMBIA 42848

BOB LUMAN AND SUE THOMPSON *** I Like Your Kind of Love (Acuff-Rose, BMI) (2:18)-** Too Hot to Dance (Acuff-Rose, BMI) (2:06). HICKORY 1221

NINO TEMPO AND APRIL STEVENS *** Deep Purple (Robbins, ASCAP) (2:41)-+++ Ive Been Carrying a Torch for You So Long That I Burned a Great Big Hole in My Heart (Daddy Sam, BMI) (2:36). ATCO 6273

DORSEY BURNETTE

*** One of the Lonely (American, BMI) (2:12)-++ Where's the Girl? (Trio, BMI) (2:30). REPRISE 20208

MERV GRIFFIN

*** Always (Irving Berlin, ASCAP) (2:55) - ** Hey Pretty Baby (Wyncote, ASCAP) (1:57). CAMEO 266

BAKER KNIGHT

★★★★ Big City Girls (Four Star Sales, BMI) (2:10)-++ Look in the Mirror (Four Star Sales, BMI) (2:15). EVEREST 2033

HAL HEARN

★★★★ Turkey in the Straw (Jubco, BMI) (2:10)—★★★ King Kemo (Jubco, BMI) (2:25). PORT 70034

JOHNNY WYATT

★★★ One, Two, Three (Four Star Sales, BMI) (2:12)-+++ I Wouldn't Change a Thing About You (Four Star Sales, BMI) (2:24). CHALLENGE

SANDRA GOULD

*** Hello Melvin (This Is Mama) (Circle Seven-Lonette, BMI) (2:29)-** My Son the Surfer (Circle Seven-Lonette, BMI) (2:00), PHILIPS

CATHY CARROLL

*** (I Know) That's How It'll Be (Screen Gems, BMI) (2:30)-BMI) (2:30)—★★★ I Don't Wanna Give You Up (Blackwood, BMI) (2:20). PHILIPS 40134

TONY ROSSINI

*** Nobody (Beckie Knox, BMI) (2:10)-★★ Moved to Kansas City (Rolyn, BMI) (2:00). SUN 387

COUNTRY

WARREN SMITH

★★★★ Big City Ways (Vidor, BMI) (2:30)-★★★★ That's Why I Sing in a Honky Tonk (Central Songs, BMI) (2:18). LIBERTY 55615

JOHNNY & JONIE MOSBY

★★★★ Trouble in My Arms (Screen-Gems - Columbia, BM1) (2:40)-*** Who's Been Cheatin' Who (Central Songs, BMI) (2:10), COLUM-BIA 42841

RED FOLEY

*** Poor Jack (American, BMI) (2:23) — ★★★★ Goodnight Mama, Goodnight Papa (Cedarwood, BMI) (2:40). DECCA 31530

LUCKY LEE

*** Look's Like You Don't Care for Me (Lucky 7-11, BMI) (2:30)-*** Too Many Times (Lucky 7-11, BMI) (2:50), C.A.R. 106

RHYTHM & BLUES

MUDDY WATERS

*** Twenty-Four Hours (Arc. BMI) (2:30)—★★★ Five Long Years (Brandon, ASCAP) (2:43). CHESS



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NEW YORK

Know what Dave Brubeck was paid for writing the liner on the new pianist Tupper Saussy's album on Monument? A Tennessee country ham. That's better than the usual bread. . . . Promoter Pete Rachtman has been pretty successful with a hoot package in Florida. Did well in Jacksonville, Orlando and mildly well in Tampa with Lynn Gold, Bob Gibson and the Highwaymen. ... G. E. Leetham, vice-president and director of sales, has assumed the additional responsibilities of merchandising and a.&r. formerly handled by Harold S. Smith who resigned from the company.... Don Robey back from Chicago where he supervised a Joe Hinton Backbeat date. . . . Johnson Records signed tenor man Jesse Powell, whose first disk is "Searching" and "Cherry Hill Wobble."

Marge Dodson, being heralded as a great new singing find, who finished a date at the Upstairs at the Duplex in Greenwich Village, is leaving for a six month tour of Europe.... Woody Herman has been signed to play both Jerry Lewis and Judy Garland TV'ers. Woody's pulling 'em at the gate, too. Over 2,500 in Salt Lake City and over 1,500 in Denver.... Joe Petralia moved to larger quarters in the Park Sheraton. . . . Atlantic has a Doris Troy LP in the works. Dubs at the office last week. . . . Jim Hall and Art Farmer cut their first session for the same label last week. . . . Music has a friend at Chase Manhattan. The bank has an exhibition that ties song titles to money themes at its Rockefeller Plaza Money Museum. . . . Enzio Stuarti has been signed to a Jubilee Records contract.

Vaughn Meader has a wanted poster out. The singing-comicpianist is looking for a straight

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man to work night clubs with him, Meader already has a girl to work with him, Donna Jean, but he says straight talking comedy hopefuls should contact his agent, Buddy Allen. Meader's first single on MGM is ready to go and should be out in two or three weeks. Another single should follow that and then an LP is slated for issue. He will also work the "Hootenanny" TV show September 14 and another undetermined slot later on.

JACK MAHER

CHICAGO

Seymour Greenspan and Jack White's Summit Distributing Company has picked up a string of new lines, including some 12 labels under the aegis of Ewart Abner's Dart Record Sales. The Dart line gives Summit Ace. Avanti, FM, Horizon, Martay, Mohawk, Moon Glow, Oldies "45," Simpson and TV Gospeltime. Besides these, Summit has picked up Del Fi, Hickory, Sound Stage Seven and Success. . . . The area's newest radio station is WEEF in Highland Park. It's an AM-FM outlet. . . . WBBM, the big Columbia Broadcasting System outlet here, will unveil a new five-day show September 9. Wade Advertising is working on details with the station.

Mercury's Morris I. Diamond (his friends don't call him "MID"), squired Lesley Gore and her parents around the Windy City last week. Lesley goes on to Pittsburgh and then to her home in New Jersey. . . . John Knodle has joined Warner Bros. as Midwest promotion man replacing Bill McCloud, who joins the M-S Distributing staff to split promotion chores with Larry Lubliner. . . . It's a happy birthday to Merle Rose of Rose Record Sales here. . . . And welcome home to Fred Sipiora, who returns this week

from a fishing trip to the Northwoods (he's got to fish better than he plays golf).

NICK BIRO

CINCINNATI

Liberty Records hosted a cocktail session at the Sheraton-Gibson Hotel Friday (16) in honor of Si Zentner, whose ork was the weekend feature in Moonlite Gardens at Coney Island here. Deejays, music men, radio and TV biggies and newsmen from a 100-mile radius were guests for the event. Liberty execs on hand included Don Bohannon, national sales manager, and Ray Hill, assistant to the national promotion, from Hollywood, and Jack Bratel, Cleveland branch manager, and his salesmen, Mary Dorfman. Dick Bowman, Southern division sales manager, with headquarters here, had charge of arrangements.

Cleve-Disc of Cleveland last week opened a branch office here at 1239 Ellis Avenue, with Bob Anderson, formerly with Sam Klayman's Supreme Distributing here, in as sales manager. Promotion manager is Lee Fogel, formerly with Cosnat Distributing here. . . . Zim Zemeral, of Free-State Distributing Corporation, Baltimore, in town last Tuesday (13) for a visit with Harry Carlson, Fraternity Records topper. Zemeral, formerly national promotion director for Columbia Records, made the trip in from Pittsburgh, where he visited his mother.

Harry Carlson reports that his new Lonnie Mack release, "Wham!" is kicking off better than Mack's recent clicker, "Memphis," which hit the No. 5 slot on Billboard's Hot 100. Carlson says sales on "Wham!" have hit nearly 100,000 in the first two weeks. Mack and his ork, currently on a one-nighter trek through the Midwest and Southwest, is set for the August 23-28 period at Spring Lake Park, Oklahoma City. Combo plays 10 days in Canada, starting mid-September.

BILL SACHS

PITTSBURGH

Eddie Hodges spent a day here last week promoting his new Columbia platter, "Rainin' In My Heart."... Sophie Tucker checks into Holiday House on August 16 for a nineday stint.... Lee Levine of Standard Distributors reports a brisk sale for MGM's "Down Yonder" by Bill McEllinney.

Stan Ediss, former Dot branch manager here before Dot moved its local offices to Cleveland, is now head of Cosnat Distributors, replacing the late Charlie Feldman. . . . Bob Vogel, another former Dot branch manager here, is back promoting Cleve-Disk Records. . . . Booker Zeke Nicholas and his wife Laura are vacationing in Hollywood where they visited Bobby Vinton, whom Zeke "discovered" years ago in Bobby's native Canonsburg, Pa.

Little Stevie Wonder and the Ray DeFade orchestra were featured in two concerts at Memorial Hall on August 10. . . . A clever stunt promotion with KQV by Capitol branch manager Dick Bethel is paying

off on the new Bobby Darin LP, "Earthy."

LEONARD MENDLOWITZ

SAN FRANCISCO

Sophie Conti has been named to replace Laura Bryant in the promotion department of Acme Sales Company, San Francisco record distributor. ... C & C Distributors has added Liberty Records in the Northern California territory, effective August 1. The account was resigned by Chatton Distributing Company of Oakland. C & C also handles such other major labels as Warner Bros., Mercury, Vanguard, World Pacific, Disneyland, and others. Promotion manager for the new label has not yet been named. ... Record Specialists, rack jobbers, is opening a new outlet in its ninth Sherman-Clay music stores in suburban Hillsdale in August. The store, the 26th in the Sherman-Clay chain, is also the newest for that company.... Milton Weiss, president of Record Specialists, anticipates operating record sales in all of the Sherman-Clay stores in California, numbering about 13, before the end of 1963.

TALENT TOPICS

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CHICAGO

Andy Devine is an unqualified smash-not to mention show-stealer—at Dolton's Dorchester Music Hall, the area's newest year-round theater. Andy shares billing with Toni Arden, whose performance is only topped by an after-the-show parcel of songs which alone is worth the price of admission. Incidentally, the Dorchester is drawing a good crowd and is offering a considerably tightened up performance despite (and maybe slightly because of) a general back-of-the-hand treatment from the local press. . . . The Sahara, recently reopened by Gene Autry, is in full swing with Nancy Ames and the New Wine Singers. . . . Columbia's cup runneth over. Following the Robert Goulet show last week. it has "My Fair Lady" running through August 31, the Brothers Four at the Opera House September 6, followed by Leonard Bernstein and Andre Watts (Columbia's protege pianist) for three performances September

7 and 8. Jimmy McHugh is writing a number of tunes for Lurlean Hunter's initial performance on WBBM's "Music Wagon" show August 26. Lurlean has a shortterm contract with the station which may be renewed if things click between the two as expected. Meanwhile Lurlean winds up what was her first bigroom appearance at Edgewater Beach's Polynesian Village. She shared the bill with Columbia's newest finds, the Geezinslaw Brothers, who also cut some tapes from the room last week for an album. . . . Joe Burton hit it lucky. His first release on Joday, "St. Louis Blues," hit WLS' Silver Dollar Survey. . . . The Smothers Brothers come to Mister Kelly's September 3 for three weeks. Should be a busy time for Moishe Diamond. . . . Nina Galo signed with Seymour Schwartz' Heartbeat Records and the Mark V cut their first record for the same label. Nina used to sing with Jimmy Dorsey and Claude Thornhill. The Mark V did "Jacqueline" b/w "The Man," a take-off on guess who.

NICK BIRO

SAN FRANCISCO

A new night club has just

opened at 14th and Mission Streets and debuts with the Candy Man Trio. . . . The Little Fox is another new spot on Broadway, due to open soon with the Smothers Brothers. . . . Jerry Stiller and Anne Meara opened recently at the hungry i, where Chan Canasta continues with his demonstrations of a fast-working mind. . . . Dave Madden and Elaine McKenna are the current stars at the Holiday Inn in Oakland. . . . Hermie King is the attraction at the On Q on Geary. . . . Chuy Penita and his Latin recording orchestra are playing at the Latin Quarter. . . The Swinging Senoritas provide more South of the Border rhythm at Tipsy's. . . . Bob Bellows has opened at the Caravan Inn in Mountain View. . . . The Cables have come into the 365 Club. . . . The Pair of Bees, young Japanese sisters in their first Western engagement at the Ginza West, Japanese night club. . . . Turk Murphy playing at his own Earthquake McGoon's. . . . Openings slated soon are Carmel Jones' Quintet at the Sugar Hill, Daryl Jones and her orchestra at Gilbey's, and at the Cal-Nev Lodge on Lake Tahoe, the McGuire Sisters, who debuted July 19. The Vince Guaraldi Trio, having completed an engagement at the hungry i, have crossed the Golden Gate to Sausalito for the three-month billing. Guaraldi last week completed another Fantasy recording of a Bossa Nova album with celebrated Brazilian guitarist, Bola Sete.

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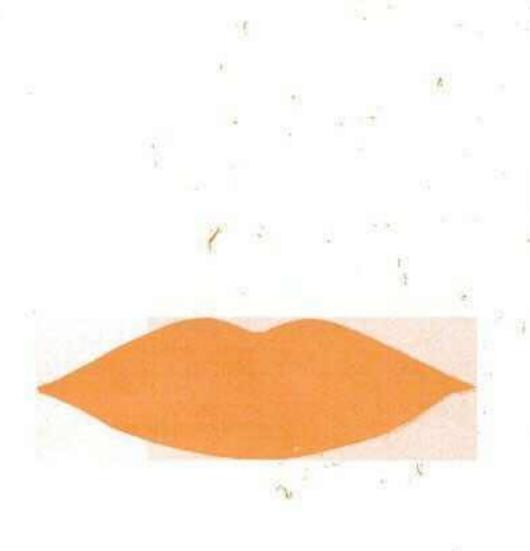
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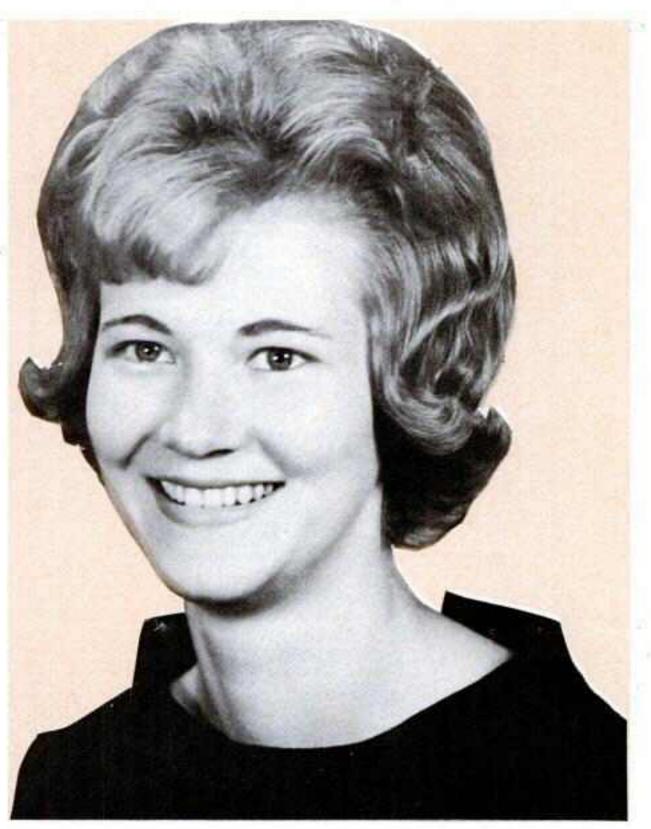
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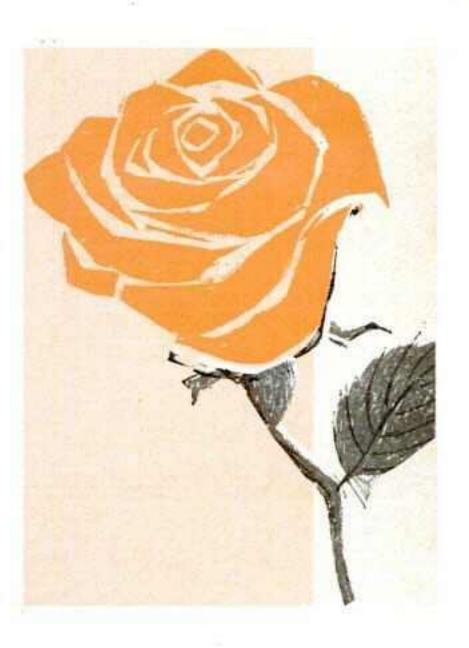
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(14)	2000	5		SO MUCH IN LOVE	13
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0.55				TRUE LOVE NEVER RUNS	8
•				SMOOTH Gene Pitney, Musicer 1022	8
22				FRANKIE AND JOHNNY Sam Cooke, RCA Victor 8215	5
				PAINTED, TAINTED ROSE Al Martino, Capital 5000	5
(24)	20	14	12	MEMPHIS	12
25)	27	30	37	TWIST IT UP Chubby Checker, Parkway 879	6
26	31	39	52	Timi Yuro, Liberty 55587	6
27)	12			EASIER SAID THAN DONE Essex, Roulette 4494	12
(28)	24	24	25	MY WHOLE WORLD IS	8
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100				BLUE VELVET	3
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	45)	47	47	53	WHEN A BOY FALLS IN LOVE.	8
	(46)	51	61	70	DESERT PETE	4
	(17)	50	52	69	THE DREAMER Neil Sedaka, RCA Victor 8209	5
	(48)	52	65	74	IT HURTS TO BE SIXTEEN Andrea Carroll, Big Top 3156	6
	19	69	85	-	DROWNIN' MY SORROWS	3
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	(55)				THESE FOOLISH THINGS James Brown & The Famous Flames, King 5767	5
	(56)	ASSETS.			GROOVY BABY Billy Abbett, Parkway 874	6
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	(58)	58			MAMA DON'T ALLOW	6
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78 78 83 — PAY BACK	3
100 - CRY BABY Garnet Mimms & the Enchanters, United Artis	2
95 - BIRTHDAY PARTY	2
81 82 92 94 A BREATH TAKING GUY	5
— 91 — MAKE THE MUSIC PLAY Dionne Warwick, Scepter	2
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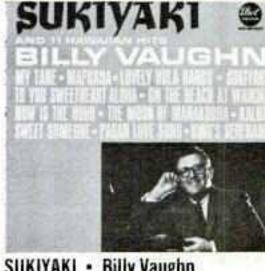
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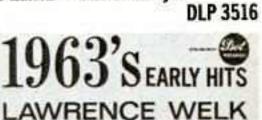
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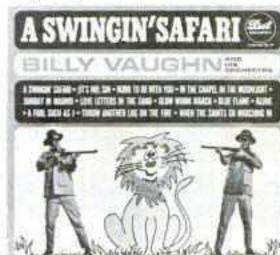
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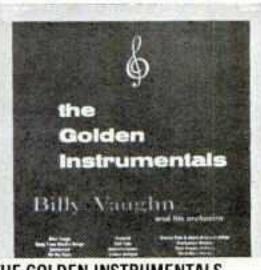




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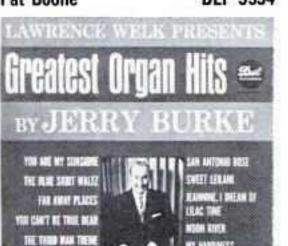
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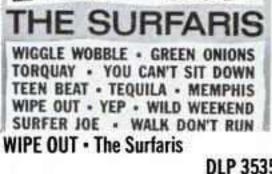
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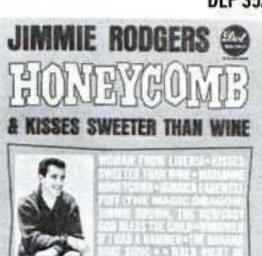


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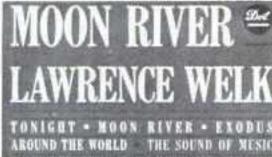
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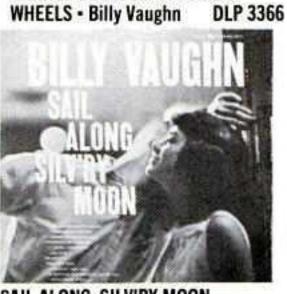


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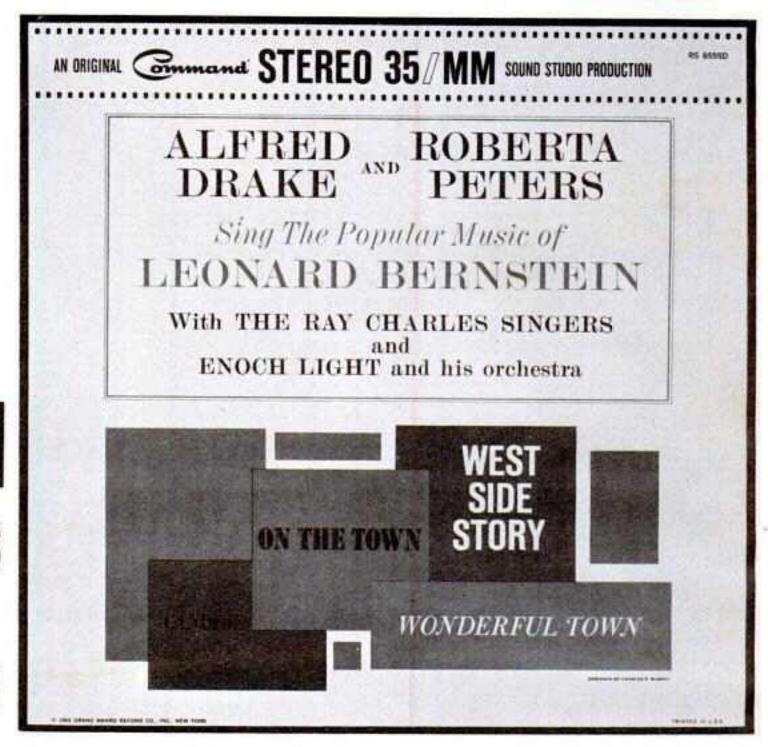
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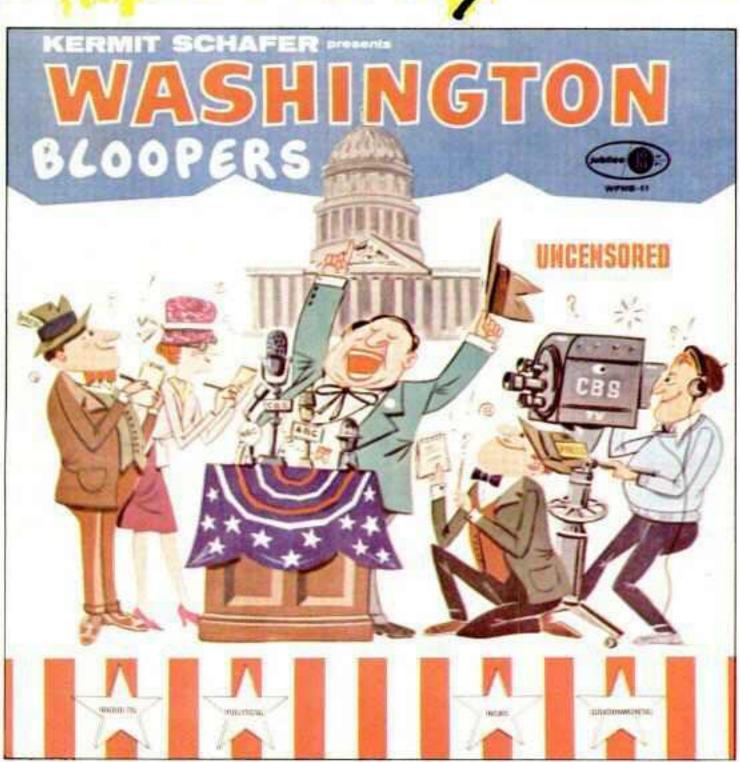
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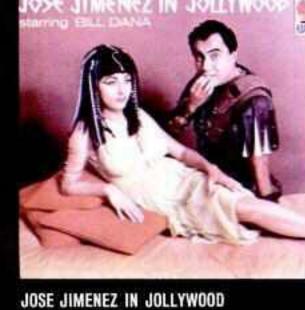
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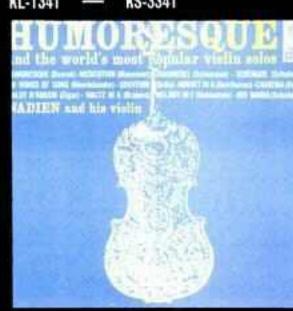
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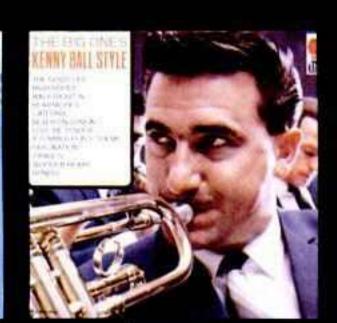
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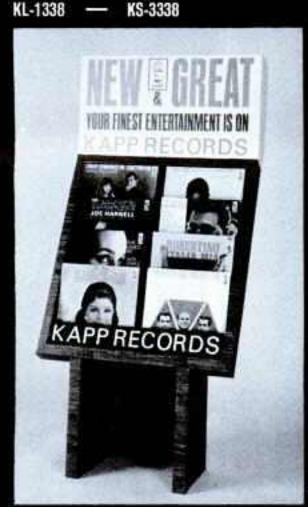
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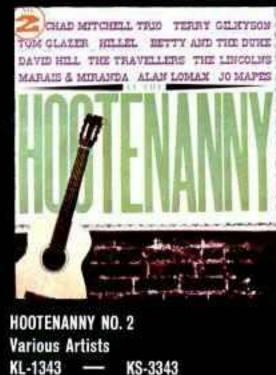


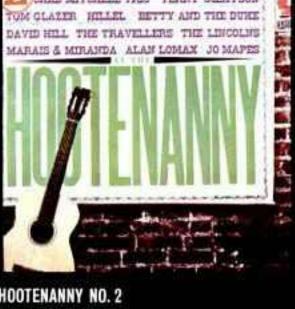
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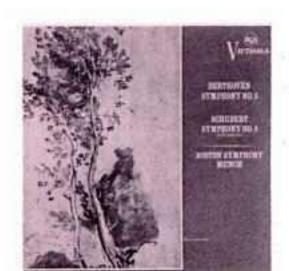


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Link Wray & His Ray Men, Swan LP 510 (M); (No Stereo)

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James Brown, King 851 (M); (No Stereo)

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Nelson Riddle, Reprise R 6071 (M); R9-6071 (S)

FLATT & SCRUGGS AT CARNEGIE

HALL . . .

Lester Flatt & Earl Scruggs, Columbia CL 2045 (M); CS 8845 (S)

GOLDEN GOODIES, VOL. IV . . .

Various Artists, Roulette R 25209 (M); (No Stereo)

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Burl Ives, Decca DL 4433 (M); DL 74433 (S)

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Decca DL 4399 (M); DL 74399 (S)

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Various Artists, Mr. Maestro 1010 (M); (No Stereo)

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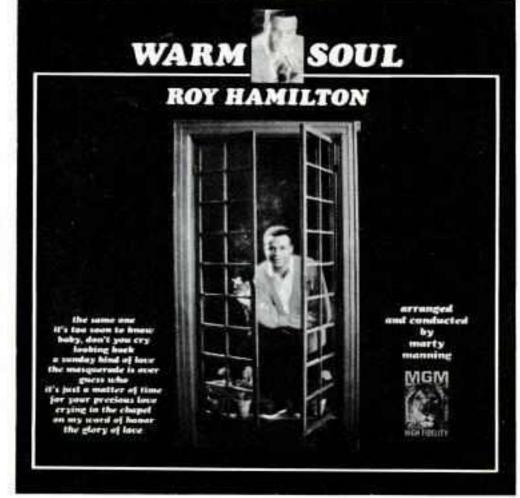
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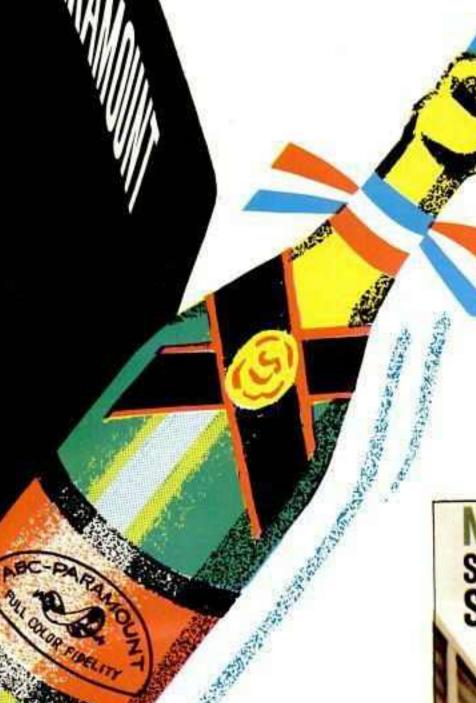


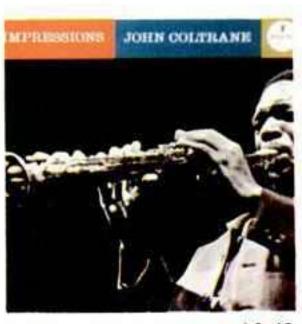
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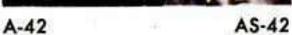
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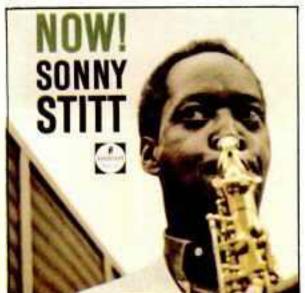






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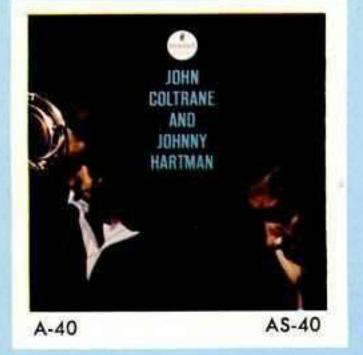
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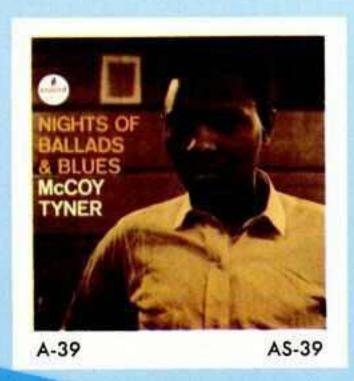


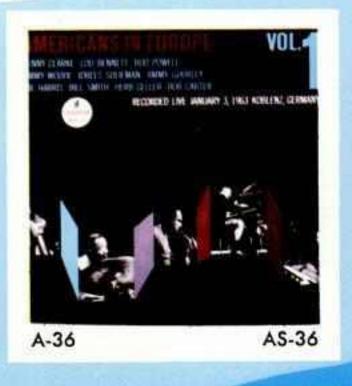
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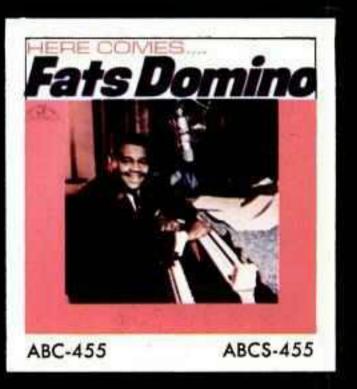


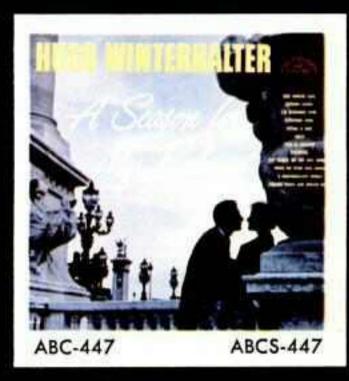
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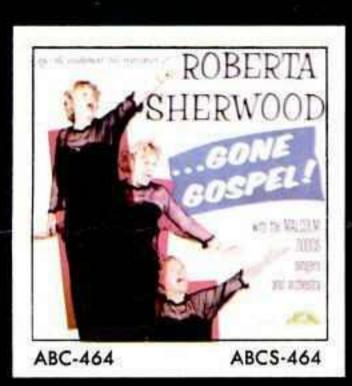


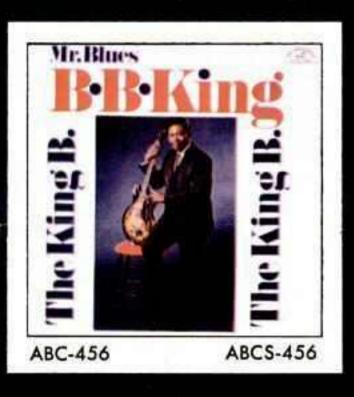




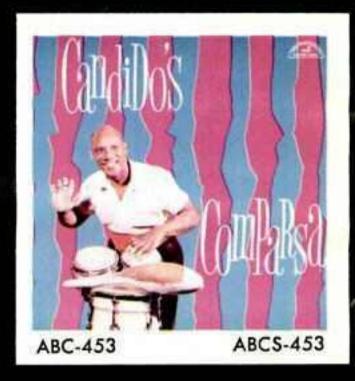
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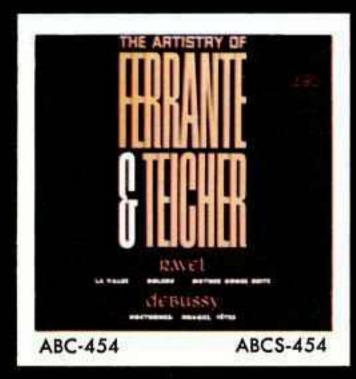
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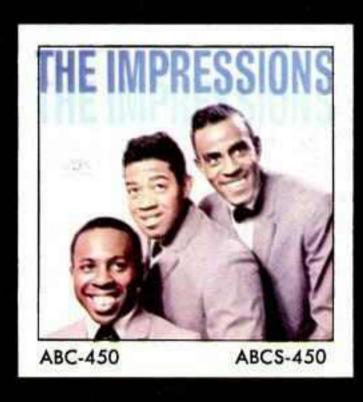


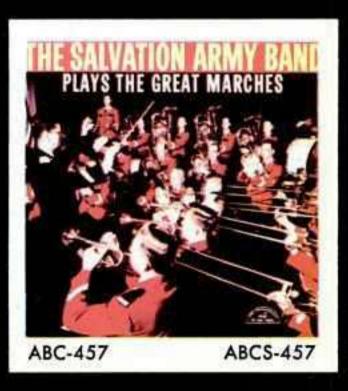


























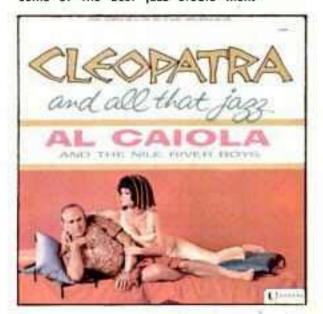
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POP SPOTLIGHT CLEOPATRA AND ALL THAT JAZZ

Al Caiola and the Nile River Boys. United Artists UAS 6299

Guitarist Caiola takes "Cleopatra" with a little salt and surrounds the theme from the flick with some titles that tie in nicely with the thematic scheme of the flick and attendant publicity. Included are "Lover Man," "Love for Sale," "Under a Blanket of Blue," etc. Assisting group has some of the best jazz studio men.



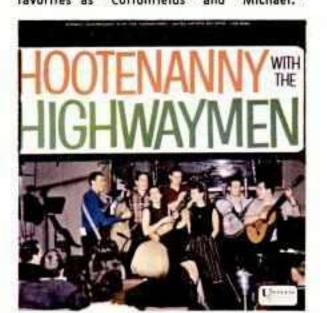


POP SPOTLIGHT

HOOTENANNY WITH THE HIGHWAYMEN

United Artists UAL 3294 (M); UAS 6294 (S)

The Highwaymen have a first-rate hootenanny in this new album. It spotlights the group, with two girls added as an extra attraction, singing such songs as "Roll On, Co-lumbia, Roll On"; "Raise a Ruckus To-night" and "Passing Through," plus such favorites as "Cottonfields" and "Michael."





POP SPOTLIGHT 1963-THE YEAR'S MOST POPULAR THEMES

Enoch Light & His Ork Command RS 854 (M); RS 854

Top themes from the top pictures of 1963 played stylishly by the Enoch Light Orchestra, with sparkling arrangements and nighperfect sound. Tunes includes themes from "Mutiny on the Bounty," "Hud," "55
Days at Peking," "More" and "Days of
Wines and Roses." Classy set.

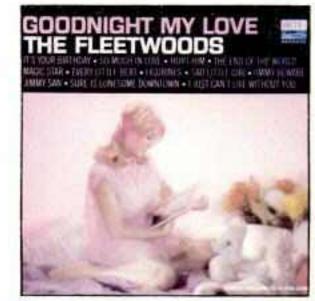




POP SPOTLIGHT GOODNIGHT MY LOVE

The Fleetwoods. Dolton BST 8025 (S); BLP 8025 (M)

The Fleetwoods got good action from their single which serves as the title tune for this set, and there's good reason to assume the LP will go as well. Each of the tunes is done in a soft, easy style, following that set by the hit. There are some really fine tracks that are bound to score with the kids. "Sure Is Lonesome Downtown," "Jimmy San," "Sad Little Girl" and "The End of the World" are included.







POP SPOTLIGHT TEEN SCENE

Chet Atkins. RCA Victor LPM 2719 (M); LSP 2719 (S)

Like its predecessor album, "Teensville," This is a slick one indeed. It has superior arrangements, spotlighting the Atkins guitar but smartly bringing in tasteful spots of horns, harmonica and voices, Rhythmn sections is great. Recent pop hits given fine treatment include "I Love How You Love Me," "Alley Cat," "Walk Right In," "Bye, Bye Birdie," etc. Lots of fine tracks.





POP SPOTLIGHT

LET'S GO

The Ventures, Dolton BLP 8024 (M); BST 8024 (S)

ACRESS THE SEA

Here's another smash LP for the Ventures as they play some of the big hits of the day. "More," "Memphis, "Let's Go" and "Walk Right In" are just a few. The gui-ters and the pounding shuther should a real winner with the kids. Take your pick as far as best tracks are concerned. They should all score with the kids.

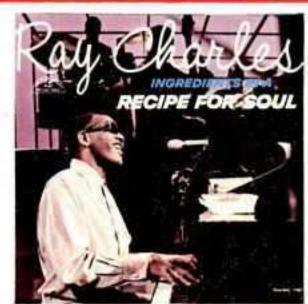




POP SPOTLIGHT **GREATEST AMERICAN** WALTZES

Connie Francis MGM E 4145 (M); SE 4145 (S)

The thrush has selected a flock of the most nostalgic of the American waltz catalog here and she sings with great warmth and feeling. With splendid assist from the Jordanaires, she sings "My Buddy," "Til We Meet Again," "Apple Blossom Time,"
"Remember," "Beautiful Ohio" and a host of others, Powerful wax.

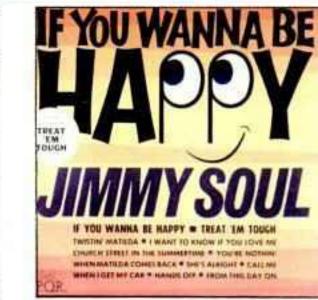




POP SPOTLIGHT INGREDIENTS IN A RECIPE FOR SOUL

Ray Charles. ABC-Paramount ABC 465 (M); ABCS 465 (S)

Ray Charles sings tortured, soulful songs of loneliness and loss and trouble. The tracks were arranged by a variety of men but all set the stage for genuine, penetrat-ing vocals. "Born to Be Blue." "Lucky Old Sun," "Ol' Man River," "Stranger in Town," "In the Evening" are just a few of the great tracks.





POP SPOTLIGHT

IF YOU WANNA BE HAPPY

Jimmy Soul S.P.Q.R. E 16001 (M)

Jimmy Soul's biggest hits are included in this album. Besides the title tune, "Treat 'Em Rough" and "Twistin" Matilda" are included. Other rock' em, sock 'em tracks are included that swing in strong pop fashion. Much action indicated.



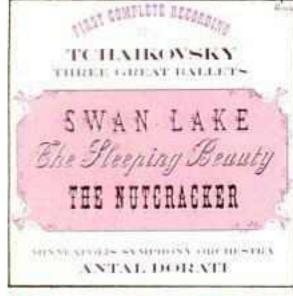
CLASSICAL SPOTLIGHT TCHAIKOVSKY: THREE GREAT BALLETS (6-12")

Minneapolis Symphony Or-

chestra (Dorati). Mercury OL6-114 (M); SR6-9014 (S) An ambitious undertaking which, for the first time, incorporates the three great Tchalkovsky ballets in a single package. The repertoire itself is enough to sell the set, without regard to the high order of

the performance herein and the pure name

value of Dorati and this ensemble.





CLASSICAL SPOTLIGHT BRAHMS: VIOLIN CONCERTO

Jascha Heifetz; Chicago Symphony Orchestra (Reiner) RCA Victor LM 1903 (M); LSC 1903 (5)

This is a beautiful reading of the Brahms work. Heifetz is liquid clear in tone and dynamic in touch. The Chicago orchestra under Reiner is attentive and eloquent in it own right. A first-rate packaging job with great appeal.





CLASSICAL SPOTLIGHT BEETHOVEN: VIOLIN CONCERTO (IN D)

Jascha Heifetz; Boston Symphony Orchestra (Munch) RCA Victor LM 1992 (M); LSC 1992 (S)

In future years, this performance may well rank with the great interpretations of the Beethoven violin work. The music is mag-nificently tense and dramatic. Heifetz is in exquisite form and the Boston under Munch's baton is most compelling.





CLASSICAL SPOTLIGHT PUCCINI: TOSCA (2-12")

Various Artists. RCA Victor LD 7022 (M); LDS 7022 (S)

Though there are some musical disappointments in this album, the combination of its stars pretty much guarantees hearty sales action. Leontyne Price, Giuseppe Di Stefano, Giuesppe Taddei and conductor Herbert von Karajan are starred in this release. The phenomenal success of Price's recent recording of another Puccini opera, "Madame Butterfly," will produce excite-



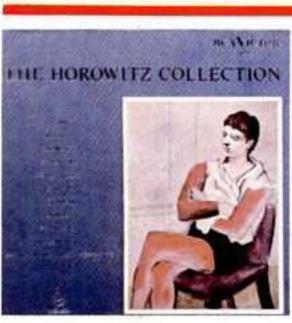


CLASSICAL SPOTLIGHT VERDI: LA TRAVIATA (3-12")

Various Artists

London OSA 1366 (S) Here's one of the more popular items in the opera catalog and one of the real war-horses. This standout new stereo version, which boasts the services of the great Joan Sutherland, can hardly miss being a stand-ard piece of merchandise. Assisting the Australian singer are Robert Merrill and Carlo Bergonzi, making for a three-way







CLASSICAL SPOTLIGHT THE HOROWITZ COLLECTION (2-12'')

RCA Victor LD 7021

Victor could not have come up with a more tempting and marketable package of Horowitz performances. Ranging from Czerny and Mozart through Prokofiev and Barber, these selections—recorded from 1942 to 1955—offer an excellent insight into the eclectric taste of an overwhelming performer. Packaging is sumptuous, sound is brilliant, and performance are unforgettable.





JAZZ SPOTLIGHT SILVER'S SERENADE

Horace Silver Quintet Blue Note 4131

More fine piano stylings here by Horace Silver, aided by the regular members of his group, Blue Mitchell, Junior Cook, Gene Taylor and Roy Brooks. Set contains more of Horace's catchy compositions. "Sweet Sweetie Dee," "Dragon Lady," "Silver's Serenade" and "Let's Get to the Nitty Gritty" are among the best. First-rate wax for Silver's many, many friends.





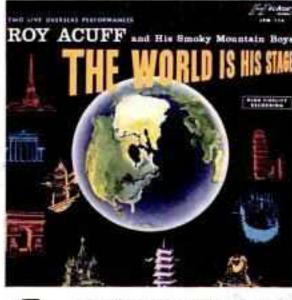
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JAZZ SPOTLIGHT TWO HOURS WITH THELONIOUS (2-12" LP's)

Thelonious Monk, Riverside 460/461 (M); RS 9460/61 (S)

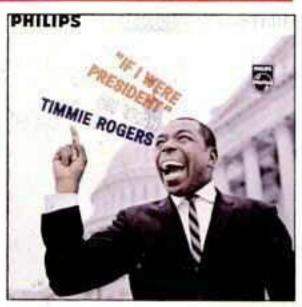
These are new recordings of Thelonious Monk concerts in Europe. The two-LP set has the planist backed by Charlie Rouse, tenor; John Ore, bass, and drummer Frankie Dunlop. The quartet is caught as they sounded in Milan and Paris in the spring of 1961. The disks are going to be wanted by the hard-core Monk fans.





COUNTRY SPOTLIGHT THE WORLD IS HIS STAGE Roy Acuff & His Smoky Moun-

tain Boys, Hickory LPM 114 Roy Acuff fans around the world (and there are lots of them) are going to go for this one, because it has Roy and all the Smoky Mountain Boys and Girls in live performances done at two separate overseas Armed Forces bases. "There'll Be No Teardrops Tonight," "Wabash Cannon-ball," "Have I Told You Lately That I Love You" and "Wreck on the Highway" are a few of the wildly acclaimed favorites.





COMEDY SPOTLIGHT

IF I WERE PRESIDENT

Timmie Rogers. Philips PHM 600-008 (M); PHS 600-008 (S)

Timmie Rogers is a funny man and he has a lot of rib-ticking stuff in this latest "ha-ha at the Presidency" album. He does not duck the tough material and if you are a Dick Gregory man you will get the most out of Timmie. Point of the album is that he's first Negro President.

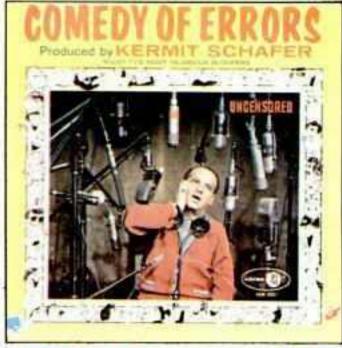
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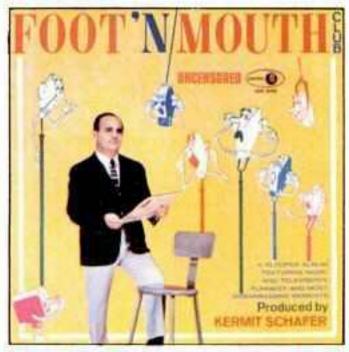
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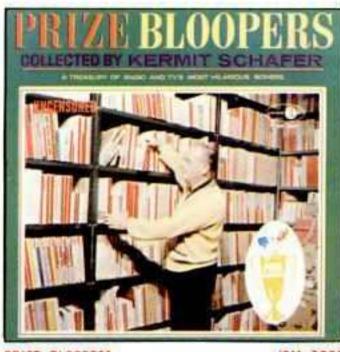


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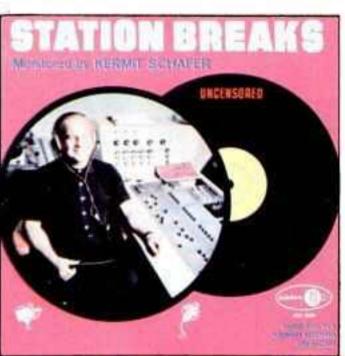


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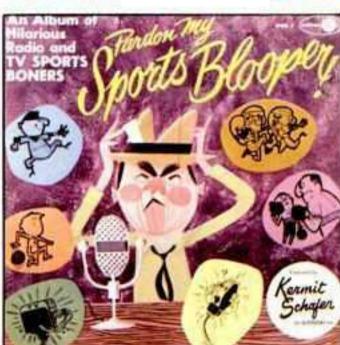


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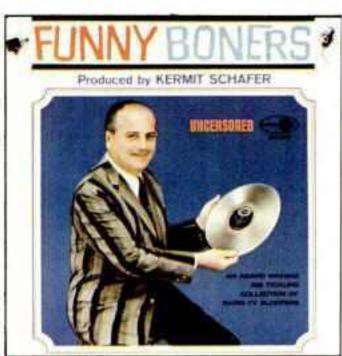
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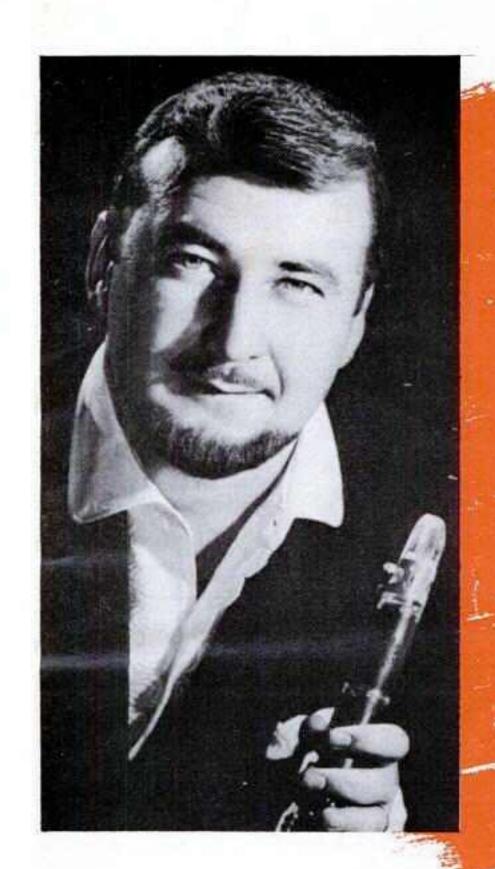


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(6)	3	WEST SIDE STORY	96	58)	46	THIS TIME BY BASIE: HITS OF	100	105	78	BABY WORKOUT
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(9)	10	BYE BYE BIRDIE	18	60	73	BLUE ON BLUE Bobby Vinton, Epic LN 24068 (M); BN 24068 (5)	3	(100)	111	Johnny Mathis, Celumbia CL 1351 (M); CS 8152 (5) WE GO TOGETHER
10	6	PETER, PAUL & MARY	70	61	66	STOP THE WORLD—I WANT TO	40			Paul & Paula, Philips PHM 200-089 (M); PHS 400-089 (5)
(11)	12	CALL ON ME	7	(m)	47	Original Cast, Lendon AM 55001 (M); AMS 88001 (S)	8	(110)	75	Johnny Mathis, Columbia CL 2044 (M); CS 8844 (5) MOTOR-TOWN REVUE, VOL. I 12
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(6)	16	THE CONCERT SINATRA	10	<u>66</u>	60	THINK ETHNIC	21	(11)	120	Lawrence Welk, Det DLP 3499 (M); DLP 25499 (S)
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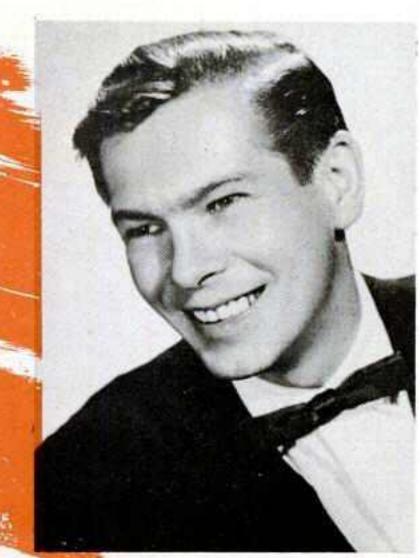
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Renata Tebaldi & Various Artists, Richmond R 23035

Here's another invaluable set for the busy but interested opera collector who is building a library of significant artists and performances. The LP is cleanly and superbly edited to present some of the greatest highlights from Miss Tebaldi's performance of the work.



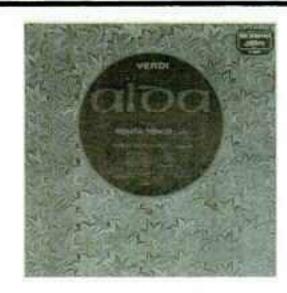


LOW PRICE OPERA SPOTLIGHT

PUCCINI: LA BOHEME (Highlights)

Renata Tebaldi & Various Artists. Richmond R 23034

Here's another LP for those opera buffs who wish to have the high artistry of Miss Tebaldi in their collections. The album is composed of highlights from the Puccini work and her dazzling vocal work makes the album a strong buy at the price.





LOW PRICE OPERA SPOTLIGHT

VERDI: AIDA

Renata Tebaldi; Mario Del Monaco & Various Artists Richmond R 20337

Many opera collectors will find this album of "Aida" highlights starring Miss Tebaldi a significant addition to their collections, if the album is not already there. The set is beautifully edited so that the artist's most telling moments in the role are evi-





CHILDREN'S POP SPOTLIGHT

DAVY CROCKETT

Fess Parker/Buddy Ebsen Disneyland ST 1926

Here's a new repackaging of an album that appeared on the Columbia label five years ago. It was leased to the other label at that time. Reactivation of the "Crockett" TV series on NBC this fall is behind the move. Extensive action is predicted for the album when the show hits the air.



SPECIAL MERIT PICKS

Special Merit Picks are new releases of outstanding merit which deserve exposure and which could have commercial success within their respective categories of music.



POP SPECIAL MERIT

LOVE THEME FROM CLEOPATRA AND MUSIC FROM OTHER GREAT MOTION PICTURES

Elizabeth Taylor MGM E 4144 (M); SE 4144 (S)

This could be a strong package for maestroarranger Rose. Highlighting the already suc-cessful theme material from "Cleopatra," Rose also offers a flock of themes from other films starring Elizabeth Taylor. These include such listenable and spinnable items as "Cat on a Hot Tin Roof," "Butterfield 8," "Raintree County," "The VIP's" and others. A good idea that has solid merchandising appeal.



POP SPECIAL MERIT

JUMP FOR JOY

Joe Williams

RCA Victor LPM 2713 (M); LSP 2713 (S) Joe Williams lends his rich baritone to 12

sides that are perfectly suited for this versatile performer. Williams projects an unbeatable lightness of feeling on such tunes as "It's a Wonderful World" and "More Than Likely." With such ballads as "Wrap Your Troubles in Dreams" and "She Doesn't Know," Joe offers a warmth and romantic feel that makes each interpretation seem as if it were personalized for the listener.



POP SPECIAL MERIT

HOLIDAY FOR STRINGS

Living Strings. RCA Camden CAL 760 (M); CAS 760 (S)

Soaring strings coupled with a muted brass offer relaxing entertainment for lovers of the easy listening sound. Eight of the 10 cuts on the LP are David Rose or Leroy Anderson originals. Tunes featured are "Sere-"Holiday for Strings" and "When h Upon a Star," among others.



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RCA Victor LPM 2711 (M); LSP 2711 (S)



CLASSICAL SPECIAL MERIT

THE ARTISTRY OF FERRANTE & TEICHER

ABC-Paramount ABC 454 (M); ABCS 455 (S)

In this, their first all-classical album, the piano team of Ferrante and Teicher perform the "Mother Goose Suite" by Ravel with dignity and feeling. Ravel's "Bolero" is played with dramatic precision. His "La Valse" and the Debussy Nocturnes are handled with equal authority and dramatic impact by the team.



CLASSICAL SPECIAL MERIT

LIEDER VON SCHUBERT; SCHUMANN; BRAHMS

Irmgard Seefried, Soprano; Erik Werbe, Klavier

Deutsche Grammophon 136 372 SLPEM

Seefried brings all her musicianship and artistry to this lovely collection of German lieder. It will be of particular interest to her fans since it is the first opportunity they will have had to hear her interpretations of these composers on disks. Those familiar with her recordings of Hugo Wolf songs will definitely be interested in owning this set. Werbe's accompaniment is ex-



CLASSICAL SPECIAL MERIT

STRAUSS: ARIADNE AUF NAXOS (3-12")

Orchester Der Wiener Staatsoper Deutsche Grammophon 18850/52 (Bohm)

With two excellent versions already in the catalog, this set may well qualify for the sentimental favorite. This is a live performance, as broadcast in Vienna in 1944 on the occasion of the composer's 80th birthday. There is that extra-musical excitement on this recording which only comes from a live performance, and the sound is excellent, considering the circumstances. The cast, headed by Maria Reining, Irmgard Seefried and Alda Noni is in excellent voice and the orchestra is first rate. This is music for the connoisseur.



CLASSICAL SPECIAL MERIT GUITAR MUSIC FROM THE COURTS

OF SPAIN

Celedonio Romero Mercury MG 50296 (M); SR 90296 (S)

This is Romero's first recorded venture into the classical repertoire, and would hopefully be only the beginning. His handling of Bach, Rameau, Dowland and several other 16th and 17th century composers is highly introspective and moving. Romero displays a refined technique and musicality which should not go on unnoticed. Those who are only familiar with his flamenco and traditional Spanish efforts are in for a rare treat.



CLASSICAL SPECIAL MERIT

THE JULIAN BREAM CONSORT: AN EVENING OF ELIZABETHAN MUSIC

RCA Victor LD 2656 (M); LDS 2656 (S)

Lutenist Julian Bream, with the aid of five assisting musicians, plays a group of 19 selections which date from Elizabethan times. The music is completely charming and is played with style and elan. The album is beautifully packaged in the best tradition of the Soria series, and includes a brochure with four-color illustrations. Will appeal to fans of early music as well as to Bream's personal following.



CLASSICAL SPECIAL MERIT

SCHUBERT: SYMPHONY NO. 9 IN C MAJOR

Philadelphia Orchestra (Toscanini) RCA Victor LD 2663

It is always an occasion when a Toscanini first edition is issued, and this recording is just that. It is the first release of Schubert's Symphony No. 9 in C Major, made in Philadelphia with the Philadelphia Orchestra in 1941. And issued here in the label's de luxe Soria Series, with the sound carefully updated, it is sure to become a collector's item. Should sell strongly during the fall and Christmas seasons.



JAZZ SPECIAL MERIT

ALONG CAME JOHN

John Patton, Blue Note 4130

John Patton swings a mighty mean organ and he comes through solidly on this exciting new album. The former planist with the Lloyd Price ork, Patton displays some dazzling organ stylings here, helped much by Fred Jackson and Harold Vick on tenors, and Grant Green on guitar. There are originals and standards here, with "The Silver Meter," "Along Came John" and "I'll Never Be Free" the strongest. Patton, a strong addition to the label's roster, could attract pop as well as jazz attention.



LOW PRICE CHILDREN'S SPECIAL MERIT

MULTIPLICATION AND DIVISION

Jiminy Cricket & Rica Moore Disneyland DQ 1923

This is a companion disk to ST-1922, which dealt with addition and subtraction. Like the previous release, this features the voices of Rica Moore and Jiminy Cricket to provide some basic instruction in the rudiments of arithmetic. This it does in an amusing and interesting way which makes the subject easy to take for kids.

FOUR-STAR ALBUMS

The four-star rating is awarded new albums with sufficient commercial potential in their respective categories to merit being stocked by most dealers, one-stops and rack jobbers handling that category.

POPULAR

LAWRENCE OF ARABIA AND OTH-ER WONDERFUL MOVIE THEMES Various Artists. Colpix CP 458 (M); SCP 458 (S)

RALPH SHARON-MODERN INNO-VATIONS ON COUNTRY WESTERN THEMES Gordy 903

BURGESS MEREDITH SINGS SONGS FROM HOW THE WEST WAS WON Colpix CP 452 (M); SCP 452 (S)

THE BIG GUITAR SOUND Living Guitars. RCA Camden CAL 766 (M); CAS 766 (S)

ALL TIME LATIN FAVORITES Leroy Holmes & His Ork, United

Artists UAL 3272 (M); UAS 6272 (S) ROBERTA SHERWOOD . . . GONE

GOSPEL! ABC-Paramount ABC 464 (M); ABCS 464 (5)

THE IMPRESSIONS ABC-Paramount ABC 450 (M); ABCS 450 (S)

JAZZ

KATANGA!

Curtis Amy: Dupree Bolton, Pacific Jazz PJ 70 (S)

CANDIDO'S COMPARSA ABC-Paramount ABC 453 (M); ABCS 453 (S)

PRINCESS

Terrell Prude Trio. Tangerine TRC

CLASSICAL

BRUCKNER: MESSE NR. 3 F-MOLL Various Artists. Deutsche Grammophon 138 829 SLPM

MOZART: PIANO CONCERTOS NO. 6

Camerata Academica des Salzburger Mozarteums; Geza Anda, plano; Deutsche Grammophon 138 824 SLPM

LOW PRICE COUNTRY

A SATISFIED MIND Porter Wagoner, RCA Camden CAL

THE WONDERFUL WORLD OF BLUEGRASS MUSIC Bill Harrell & the Virginians, United Artists UAL 3293 (M); UAS 6293

INTERNATIONAL

THE GLORIOUS GREEKS Yacoubian & Company. Crescendo GNP 89

RELIGIOUS

DYNAMIC DIMENSIONS OF WIT-NESS (3-12") Various Artists. Word WLP 3260

COMEDY

DON ADAMS MEETS THE ROVING REPORTER Crescendo GNP 91

BLUES

BLUES ON HIGHWAY 49 Big Joe Williams, Delmar DL 604

LONG STEEL RAIL Bill Jackson, Testament T 201

LOW PRICE POPULAR

THE SHIMMERING SOUNDS OF LIVING STRINGS RCA Camden CAL 761 (M); CAS 761 (S)

LOW PRICE CLASSICAL

THE NUTCRACKER SUITE

Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra. Disneyland DQ 1243

LOW PRICE COMEDY

THE HUMOROUS SIDE OF COUN-TRY MUSIC Homer & Jethro. RCA Camden CAL

LOW PRICE CHILDREN'S

PETER AND THE WOLF Sterling Holloway, Disneyland DO 1242



THREE-STAR ALBUMS

The three-star rating indicates moderate sales potential within each record's music category.

POPULAR

THE EXCITING VOICE OF CHARLES K. L. DAVIS Colpix CP 449 (M); SCP 449 (S)

CLASSICAL

STRAVINSKY: VIOLIN CONCERTO: PROKOFIEFF: SONATA NO. 2 FOR VIOLIN AND PIANO Wolfgang Schneiderhan, Violin.

Deutsche Grammophon 138794 SLPM

INTERNATIONAL HI FI TAMBURITZA Veseli Tamburitzans featuring Rose

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WORLDWIDE ALBUM FREVIEW (Billboard Album Spotlights) Mondays, 3 p.m. EDT (1900 GMT): 15.385, 15.44, 17.17, 17.83 mc. Mondays, 8 p.m. EDT (0000 GMT): 15.44, 17.83 mc.

WORLDWIDE HIT PARADE (Billboard Hot 100) Fridays, 1 p.m. EDT (1700 GMT): 15.385, 15.44, 17.17, 17.83 mc.

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WITH THE COUNTRY JOCKEYS

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"Waggin' Tongues" b.w. "Why Don't Daddy Live Here Anymore?" Write Bonnie in care of Tally Records, Box 842, Bakersfield, Calif. . . . Deejays needing a copy of the Acorn Sisters' latest on the Acorn label, "Cotton Fields" b.w. "Red, Long Fingernails," are asked to drop a line to their personal manager, Joe Grieshop, 7771 Cheviot Road, Cincinnati 39, Ohio. . . . Copies of Benny Martin's new release, "Sinful Cinderella," are available by writing to Starday Records, P.O. Box 115, Madison, Tenn.

Murray Kash writes from London to tout us on the latest regarding his activities on the BBC. Murray presents one c.&w. music series tilted "Walk Right In" each Tuesday at 1 p.m., in which he combines the old with the new (as he puts it), i.e., records made by such artists as Pee Wee King, the Prairie Ramblers, Skeeter Hubbert, Rudy Sooter, etc., along with the moderns like Jim Reeves, Kitty Wells and Johnny Cash. Kash's other radio series, "On the Trail," is heard Fridays at 5:15 p.m., and is aimed at the children. In it he describes the days of the early West and plays recorded music appropriate of the times.

C.&w. platter spinners are invited to drop a line to Henry J. Sommers, P.O. Box 322, Silver Spring, Md., for a copy of his "Actions Speak Louder Than Words" b.w. "My Ladder of Dreams," as done by Wade Holmes on Songs by Sommers Records. . . . Mark Raymer typewrites that he's now programming country music on several stations in California, as well as in Oregon and Washington, plus two in the New York-New Jersey sector, and has spinning room available for artists and diskeries who'll shoot him their releases. Mark says he also has available for other deejays

New W. Va. Station To Air C.&W. Music

SOUTH CHARLESTON, W. Va.-Country music fans in the Kanawha Valley area around West Virginia's capital city of Charleston will soon be able to hear country music during the daytime hours when a new outlet, WRDS, begins operations in September.

Ted Wolfe, a former c.&w. deejay in Georgia and elsewhere, is program director of the new 1,000-watt facility which will have its studios at 605 D Street in South Charleston.

RADIO SHOW HYPES LURLEAN

CHICAGO-Does an artist's radio appearance hypo her album sales? Ask Lurlean Hunter. Sales on her "Blue and Sentimental" LP on Atlantic picked up substantially following her first appearance on WBBM's live Music Wagon show hosted by Mal Bellairs. An even greater spurt came after Lurlean was signed to appear as feature vocalist on the show. The album has been out some two years and sales had evened off. However, Bob Kornheiser, Atlantic sales chief, said that a new shipment of albums were rushed to All-State, the firm's Chicago distributor, and that the album was again placed on the active list.

copies of Sherree Scott's release on the Robbins label, "Unhappy Birthday" b.w. "Whole Lotta Shaking," and Dewey Groom's current release for the Longhorn line, "Heartaches for Sale." Raymer's address is Country Music Showtime, Box 411, San Fernando, Calif.

Lyle Graves has departed KRSD, Rapid City, S. D., and has moved to Montana. His place at KRSD has been filled by Joe Martin, who also has his own band playing for dances in the area. Ray Nicklay is top man at KRSD in charge of personnel and c.&w. music. All sample platters should be addressed to him. The station needs platters from Marty Robbins and says it is being neglected in service from Mercury and Columbia.

Lloyd R. George, who penned "Aww Mule," "While You're Gone" and "The Girl With the Taffy Hair," has been named vice-president and general manager of KWBA Radio, Baytown - Houston, Tex. A proponent of country and western music, George is programming a Top 50 c.&w. with 75 "strays," plus a daily Golden Maverick and Round-Up Album. All musical introductions are made in Western jargon. Each week, KWBA salutes a different artist with heavy record play, plus contests for the listeners, with artist pix and records as prizes.

"Thought you might appreciate a current pulse beat from this neck of the woods," writes Early Williams, who weaves the country sounds on WSEN, Baldwinsville, N. Y. "One of the fastest-breaking c.&w. tunes in the Syracuse metropolitan area at the moment is Mac Wiseman's 'You're Best Friend and Me' on Capitol. So say record orders and the mailbag. Another hit-tobe, in my opinion, is '8x10,' by Bill Anderson." Early reports that WSEN's continuous eighthour "Opry" fair held recently pulled good crowds, with another "Opry" show skedded for September 14, with Stonewall Jackson the feature.

Mainline Spreads

CLEVELAND-Mainline of Cleveland, Inc., RCA Victor distributor here, has moved into the Cincinnati area as well. Ed Rosenblatt, manager of the indie record division of the firm, said the territory would be serviced for the time being through a resident rep from the Cleveland warehouse.

Named as salesman for the Cincy operation was Chuck Huesman, 13-year disk industry veteran, whose main experience has been in the Southern Ohio market. He has served most recently as branch manager for Cosnat, Cincinnati. Lines represented in Cincinnati will be A & M, Duke, Gordy, Kapp, Living Language, Motown, Pea-cock and Tamla.

Lu Watters Back

SAN FRANCISCO-The jazz horn of Lu Watters, for many years one of the greatest sounds in jazz, will be heard again for the first time in perhaps a dozen years in San Francisco.

The stocky traditional Dixieland band leader, now 54, whose Yerba Buean Jazz Band sparked the revival of what is now known as Trad-Jazz in the 1940's. He is going to put in an appearance with Turk Murphy at the Earthquake McGoon's. For reasons best known to Watters himself, he has been working as a cook for the past 12 years at Sonoma County Hospital.



BACKSTAGE AT THE "GRAND OLE OPRY" in Nashville, a guided tour is given to guests (left to right) Jack Kirby (Monument Records), Artur Waizenegger (Teldec, Germany), Tupper Saussy (Monument artist), Fred Foster (president of Monument) and Mimi Trepel (manager of foreign distribution, London Records).

Epic Tells of 'Memory' Plan

NEW YORK-Epic Records was active last week on two fronts. Epic announced a brandnew series of Memory Lane singles for juke box and rack jobber use and also signed Latin guitarist - composer Arsenio Rodriguez to an exclusive contract.

The Memory Lane series, according to General Manager Len Levy, will encompass the biggest hits of recent years by Epic artists. In the first grouping of 20 releases there are disks by Roy Hamilton, Tony Orlando, Ersel Hickey, Buddy Greco, the Schoolboys, Little Joe and the Thrillers, Bobby Vinton, Adam Wade, Screamin' Jay Hawkins and Link Wray and the Wraymen.

Kusano for Fox

Sam Fox Publishing Company, Inc. announced that Kusano Music, Inc. of Tokyo will represent the Fox and affiliated catalogs exclusively in Japan.

Kusano Music is preparing for publication and exploitation of the Fox copyrights in the popular, standard and educational areas.

Many of the Sam Fox publications were recently exhibited by Kusano at the Fifth International Conference of the International Society for Music Education in Tokyo.

NARM CHOOSES MIAMI BEACH

CHICAGO—The next convention of the National Association of Record Merchandisers will be held in Miami Beach, Fla. The mid-year meeting of NARM set the dates as April 19-21, 1964, and the place as the Eden Roc Hotel.

The meeting also awarded plaques to all former NARM presidents and board members as a tribute to services rendered in aiding the organization's growth. Past presidents who were honored included Jim Tietjens, Harold Goldman, Ed Snider and Glen Becker.

UA Adds People

NEW YORK - Additional personnel have been named to United Recording Corporation's latest addition, the new studios in Las Vegas, which just completed its first month's opera-

Wally Heider, studio manager, will continue to serve as head of all remote recording operations. Jack Eglash, newly appointed business manager of the studios, comes to the post from AFM Local 369 where he was assistant to the president. Hank MGill, formerly of ABC-TV, San Francisco, has been added to the technical staff.

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ARGENTINA

(Courtesy Escalera a la fama) *Denotes local origin This Last

Week Week 1 MIRA COMO ME BALANCEO-Eduardo Vianello (Victor) 2 PUENTE PEXOA-

*Trovadores del Norte (CBS) 6 LA TIERRA (Chariot)-Joe Sentieri (CBS)

CULPA DE LA BOSSA NOVA (Blame It on the Bossa Nova)-Eydie Gorme (CBS)

10 RIO MANSO-*Ramona Galarza (Odeon)

FRENTE AL MAR-*Susy Leiva-Mariano Mores (Odeon)

CUTIE PIE-Johnny Tillotson (Cadence-Microfon)-Ridge-Korn

LA POLLERA COLORA-Los Wawanco (Odeon); Perico Gomez (Victor)-Korn

- LA TERZA LUNA-Neil Sedaka (Victor)-Fermata - LA PARTITTA DI

PALLONE-Rita Pavone (Victor)

AUSTRALIA

(Courtesy Music Maker, Sydney) *Denotes local origin This Last

Week Week 2 55 DAYS AT PEKING-*Rob E.G. (Festival)-Essex 2 WIPE OUT-The Surfaries

(London)-Pincus Gil 3 BOMBORA-The Atlantics (CBS)-Southern SURF CITY-Jan and Dean

(Liberty)-Tu-Con SUKIYAKI-Kyu Sakamoto (HMV)-Castle MOVE BABY MOVE-

*Johnny O'Keefe (Leedon)-Davis 6 I LOVE YOU BECAUSE-Al Martino (Capitol)-Allans - AVALON STOMP-*The

Denvermen (HMV)-Johnny Devlin Music DEVIL IN DISGUISE-

Elvis Presley (RCA)-Belinda - GREEN GREEN-Christy Minstrels (CBS)-No

publisher - I (WHO HAVE NOTHING)-Ben E. King (Festival)-No

publisher RING OF FIRE-Johnny

Cash (CBS)-Chappell FALLING-Roy Orbison 13 (London)—Acuff-Rose BLUE ON BLUE—Bobby

Vinton (Epic)-Chappell I LIKEIT-Gerri and the 15 Pacemakers (Columbia)—

Leeds

BRITAIN

(A specially prepared list compiled prior to publication by the New Musical Express, London) *Denotes local origin

This Last Week Week

2 SWEETS FOR MY SWEET -*Searchers (Pye)-Hill &

1 I'M CONFESSIN'-Frank Ifield (Columbia)-Francis, Day & Hunter
3 DEVIL IN DISGUISE—

Elvis Presley (RCA)-West One Music 6 TWIST AND SHOUT (EP)-

*Beatles (Parlophone)-Sherwin/Ambassador/ Northern Songs, Ltd.

TWIST AND SHOUT-*Brian Poole and the Tremeloes (Decca)-Sherwin Music

5 DA DOO RON RON-Crystals (London)-Aberbach BAD TO ME-Billy J. Kramer (Parlophone)-

Northern Songs, Ltd. 10 IN SUMMER-Billy Fury

(Decca)—Skidmore Music SUKIYAKI—Kyu Sakamoto (HMV)-Welbeck/Benz WIPE OUT-Surfaris

(London)-Ambassador ATLANTIS—*Shadows 11 (Columbia)-Francis, Day &

Hunter 16 THE LEGION'S LAST PATROL-*Ken Thorne

(HMV)-Filmusic I LIKE IT-*Gerri and the Pacemakers (Columbia)-

Jaep Music YOU CAN NEVER STOP ME LOVING YOU-

*Kenny Lynch (HMV)-Klynch Music 10 TAKE THESE CHAINS FROM MY HEART-Ray

Charles (HMV)-Acuff-Rose 12 IT'S MY HEART-Lesley

Gore (Mercury)-A. Schroeder

20 I'LL NEVER GET OVER YOU-*Johnny Kidd

(HMV)-Leeds Music 13 WELCOME TO MY WORLD -Jim Reeves (RCA)-One Four Two Music

14 DECK OF CARDS-Wink Martindale (London)-Campbell-Connelly

19 I WONDER-Brenda Lee (Brunswick)-Leeds Music 23 SO MUCH IN LOVE—Tymes (Cameo-Parkway)—Leeds

Music - YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE A BABY TO CRY-*Caravelles (Decca)—Frank

Music 29 JUST LIKE EDDIE-*Heinz (Decca)-Meridian Music

- THE CRUEL SEA-*Dakotas (Parlophone)-Jaep Music 30 THE GOOD LIFE-Tony

Bennett (CBS)-Paris Music - I'M TELLING YOU NOW-

*Freddie and the Dreamers (Columbia)-Feldman Music 27 COME ON-*Rolling Stones (Decca)-Jewel Music

22 BY THE WAY-*Big Three (Decca)-Jaep Music BO DIDDLEY-Buddy Holly

(Coral)-Good Music ONLY THE HEARTACHES - *Houston Wells (Parlophone)-Southern Music

AFTER YOU'VE GONE-*Alice Babs (Fontana)-Francis, Day & Hunter

DENMARK

(Courtesy Quan, Copenhagen) This Week

1 DEVIL IN DISGUISE-Elvis Presley (RCA)—Belinda 2 LUCKY LIPS—Cliff Richard

(Columbia)-Belinda 3 THOSE LAZY-HAZY-CRAZY DAYS OF SUMMER-Nat King Cole (Capitol); Gustav Winckler

(Sonet)-Bens 4 ICH KAUF' MIR LIEBER EINEN TIROLERHUT—Billy Mo (Decca) -Multitone

5 LITTLE BAND OF GOLD-James Gilreath (Sonet)-Winckler

6 SAG' MIR WO DIE BLUMEN SIND-Marlene Dietrich (HMV) -Mork

7 SAY WONDERFUL THINGS TO ME-Ronnie Carrol (Philips)-Imudico

KOM NED PA JORD'N IGEN-Gitte Haenning (HMV)-Imudico

ATLANTIS-The Shadows (Columbia)—Bens 10 PRETTY SUZY SUNSHINE—

Larry Finnegan (London)

EIRE

(Courtesy Irish Times, Ltd., Dublin) This Last Week Week

1 DEVIL IN DISGUISE-Elvis Presley (RCA)-West One Music

2 I'M CONFESSIN'-Frank Ifield (Columbia)-Francis, Day & Hunter

5 ATLANTIS—The Shadows (Columbia)-Francis, Day & Hunter

4 TAKE THESE CHAINS FROM MY HEART-Ray Charles (HMV)-Acuff-

Rose 9 SWEETS FOR MY SWEET-The Searchers (Pye)-Hill &

Range 3 DECK OF CARDS— Wink Martindale (London)—

Campbell-Connolly 6 I LIKE IT-Gerri and the

Pacemakers (Parlophone)— Dick James FORGET HIM-Bobby Rydell

(Cameo-Parkway)-Welbeck WELCOME TO MY WORLD -Jim Reeves (RCA)-142

Music 8 LUCKY LIPS-Cliff Richard (Columbia)—Cromwell

FLEMISH BELGIUM

(Courtesy Juke Box Magazine) This Weeks

Week Ago N'EST-CE PAS MERVEIL-LEUX/CRIER TON NOM

-Adamo-Ardmore & Beechwood - DA DOU RON RON-Johnny

Hallyday-Belinda Music 3 JE ME SENS BIEN/ELLE EST FINIE-Petula Clark-

Bens 7 JE M'SENS TRES SEUL-Robert Cogoi-Top

PENDANT LES VACANCES -Shelia-Acuff-Rose L'COLE EST FINIE-

Sheila-Breton SANS TOI MAMIE-Adamo -Rudo

SI TU VEUX ETRE **HEUREUX**—Claude Françoise-Ardmore & Beechwood

AMOUR PERDU-Adamo-Ardmore & Beechwood

PREMIERE SURPRISE-PARTY-Shelia-Breton

HOLLAND

(Courtesy Platennieuws, P. O. Box 43,

Amersfoort) This Last

Week Week 1 CIMERONI-Anneke Gronloh (Philips)—Altona LUCKY LIPS—Cliff Richard

2 (Columbia)-Belinda BUONA NOTTA BAMBINO -Rocco Granata (CNR)-Picture Music, Joop

Portengen WINI-WINI-Die Tahiti Tamoures (Polydor)-Joop Portengen

5 RITME VAN DE REGEN-Rob de Nijs (Decca)-Chappell

6 BLUME VAN TAHITI-Gert Timmerman (Telefunken)-Holland Music

7 THERE GOES MY HEART AGAIN-Fats Domino (ABC-Paramount) 8 IK HEB EERBIED VOOR JOUW GRIJZE HAREN-

Gert Timmerman (Telefunken)-World Music & Int. Music 9 OH DONNA CLARA-Die Rengento Stars

(Tivoli)-Basart L.C. JUNGE, KOMM' BALD 10 WIEDER-Freddy (Polydor) -Bens-Altona

HONG KONG

This Last Week Week

4 HEARTACHES-The String-A-Longs (Dot)

5 ATLANTIS—The Shadows (Columbia) 3 DEVIL IN DISGUISE—

Elvis Presley (RCA) LUCKY LIPS-Cliff Richard 4

(Columbia) EVERY STEP OF THE WAY 5 -Johnny Mathis (CBS) SUKIYAKI-Kyu Sakamoto

(Capitol) LONE STAR STOMP- The

Cornells (UA) I WILL FOLLOW HIM-

Little Peggy March (RCA) FALLING-Roy Orbison (London)

9 THOSE LAZY-HAZY-10 CRAZY DAYS-Nat King Cole (Capitol)

ISRAEL

(Courtesy Kol Israel Broadcasting) *Denotes local origin This Last

Week Week 4 SUKIYAKI—Kyu Sakamoto

(HMV)—Bens Music-Welbeck Music HELLO STRANGER-Barbara Lewis (Atlantic)-

McLaughin CONFESSIN'-Frank Ifield

(Columbia)-Francis, Day & Hunter 3 HORA OF LOVE-*The Roosters (Kol Israel)-

ACUM 5 - DON'T YOU FORGET IT-Perry Como (RCA Victor)-

Northridge, ASCAP LUCKY LIPS—Cliff Richard (Columbia)-Elstree Music ATLANTIS-The Shadows

(Columbia)-Francis, Day & Hunter

ANOTHER SATURDAY NIGHT—Sam Cooke (RCA Victor)—Kags Music THOSE LAZY-HAZY-CRAZY DAYS-Nat King Cole

(Capitol)—Comet WHEN YOU SAY 'NO'-*The Roosters (Kol Israel)-ACUM

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Week Week

CUORE-*Rita Pavone (RCA) SPORE DI SALE-Gino Paoli (RCA)

QUELLI DELA MIA ETA'-Francoise Hardy (Vogue) STESSA SPIAGGIA STESSO MARE-Piero Focaccia

(CGD) 3 ABBRONZATISSIMA— 5 *Edoardo Vianello (RCA) HEY PAULA-Paul & Paula

(Philips) GRAZIE PREGO SCUSI/IL 7 TANGACCIO-*A. Celentano (Clan)

NON TI CREDO-*Peppino Di Capri (Carisch) A NEW ORLEANS-*Adriano Celentano (Jolly)

ERI UN'ABITUDINE-Andy Williams (CBS)

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11 — PER QUESTA VOLTA—

Richard Anthony (Columbia) 12 CUANDO BRILLA LA LUNA-*Marcellos Ferial (Durium)

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 I WATUSSI—*E. Vianello 13 e i Flippers (RCA)

10 I TUOI CAPRICCI-Neil Sedaka (RCA) CAN'T STOP LOVING

YOU-Ray Charles (VdP)

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MEXICO

This Last Week Week

ENEMIGOS-*Sonia Lopez (CBS)-Pham DE MIL MANERAS-

*Sonora Santanera (CBS)-Emmi 4 THE GUNS FROM

NAVARRONE-Al Caoila

(Gamma)—Pending 5 DESPEINADA-*Los Hooligans (Orfeon)-Reimsa

2 LET'S GET TOGETHER— Hayley Mills (Gamma)-Brambila 6 MEDIA VUELTA-*J. A. Jimenez (RCA);

 Javier Solis (CBS)— Pending
7 LA MANO DE DIOS—*J. A.

Jimenez (RCA)-Emmi FOOTBALL-*Sonora Santanera (CBS)-Reimsa

EL INDIO ARTISTA-

*Acerina (Orfeon)-Pending 10 LEEGO BORRACHO-*J. A. Jimenez (RCA)-Emmi

NORWAY

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This Last Week Week

1 DEVIL IN DISGUISE-Elvis Presley (RCA)-

Belinda 2 DE TUSEN SJOARS LAND-*Ray Adams (Manu)-Musikk-Huset

3 3 LUCKY LIPS-Cliff Richard (Columbia)—Belinda ATLANTIS—Shadows

(Columbia)—Sweden Music WELCOME TO MY WORLD -Jim Reeves (RCA) 6 SINGEL OG SAND-

Olkabilamo (Philips)-Edition Lyche 5 I'M CONFESSIN'-Frank Ifield (Columbia)-

No publisher - SER DU JAN SA HILS FRA MEG-*Ase Thoresen

(Triola)—Sweden Music EI SNERTEN SNELLE— *Wenche Myre (Triola)-Egil Monn Iversen

PERU

SUKIYAKI-Kyu Sakamoto

(HMV)-Carl M. Iversen

(Courtesy La Prensa, Lima)

*Denotes local origin This Last

Week Week 1 1 LA PERA MADURA-

Pepe Miranda (Virrey) ACEPTARE—Anamelba (Virrey) 2 ENSENANDO BOSSA NOVA

(Blame It on the Bossa Nova)-Eydie Gorme (Columbia)

5 LA TERZA LUNA-Neil Sedaka (RCA) 7 TEMA DEL DR. NO-AI

Caiola (United Artists) 6 EL CIGARRON-Hugo Blanco (Polydor)

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LIMENA-Edith Barr (Sono

the Boys)-Connie Francis (MGM) 9 PORQUE ME DEJAS?-Monna Bell (Virrey)

PHILIPPINES

This Last

Week Week 1 KISS ME QUICK-Elvis Presley (RCA)—Filipinas 3 ONE MORE BLESSING-

Mareco 2 (I Love You) DON'T YOU FORGET IT-Perry Como (RCA)-Filipinas

Jerry Vale (Columbia)-

THE END OF THE WORLD

-Skeeter Davis (RCA)-Filipinas DEAR HEART-Teddy Randazzo (Colpix)-Federal

DOMINO-Doris Day (Columbia)—Mareco

6 PROMISE OF LOVE-Sandy Stewart (Colpix)-

Federal WIPE OUT-The Surfaris

(Dot)-Mareco CRAZY-Faye Tucker (Sonodor)-Federal Manufacturers

- A MILLION THANKS TO YOU-Pilita Corrales (Villar)-Mareco

SOUTH AFRICA

(Courtesy Southern African Record Manufacturers and Distributors' Assn.) This Last

Week Week 1 LUCKY LIPS-Cliff Richard (Columbia)-Cromwell Music

3 DEVIL IN DISGUISE-Elvis Presley (RCA)-

E. Presley Music 4 SUKIYAKI-Kyu Sakamoto (SAB)-Ardmore-Beechwood ATLANTIS—The Shadows

(Columbia)-Francis, Day 2 BLUE TRAIN-John D. Loudermilk (RCA)-Acuff-

Rose 5 YOU BELONG TO MY HEART—Ned Miller (Renown)—Southern Music 5 1 WALK THE LINE—

Dean Martin (Reprise)-Belinda Music - YOUNG LOVERS-Paul & Paula (Philips)-Copyright

Controlled 9 CU-CU-RRU-CU-CU PALOMA-Nancy Ames (Liberty)-Southern Music

 HAPPY BIRTHDAY MY DARLING-Bob Gallion (Continental)-Acuff-Rose

SPAIN

This Last Week Week

(Courtesy Discomanta) 1 CARINOSA—*Duo Dinamico (Voz Amo)—Musica del Sur Fermata

6 DAME FELICIDAD-

Enrique Guzman (CBS)

Paul Anka (RCA)-

2 TOUS LES GARCONS ET LES FILLES-Francoise Hardy (Hispavox)-Jazz Universal 3 CRYING IN THE WIND-

CHARIOT—*Ennio Sangiusto (Belter)-Armonico 5 FIVE HUNDRED MILES-*Los T.N.T. (RCA)-

Hispavox

Robert Mellin 8 RETURN TO SENDER-Elvis Presley (RCA)-

Aberbach (Madrid)

7 MARIA (West Side Story)-Andy Williams (CBS)-Canciones Mundo 9 - STASERA PAGO 10-

Jose Guardiola (Voz Amo)-Canciones Mundo 10 - DANSEVISE-Luis Gardey

PHILIPPINES

(Belter)

Local Hits New Rage

By LUIS MA. TRINIDAD 264 Escolta, Manila

Major recording studios and music publishers in this territory are jubilant over the current demand for music of local origin with English lyrics on juke boxes, radio-television, and the stage. Even "kundiman" (which is regarded as one of the most significant contributions that Filipino composers have made in the world's truly great music) composers are writing tunes in answer to the big enthusiasm sweeping all over the archipelago. Singles of the ballad category are getting a lot of exposure from leading radio-TV deejays here, and this trend is predicted to last for a long time.

Redhot English singing faves are Pilita Corrales, Conchita Penalosa, Diomedes Maturan, Tres Rosas, Dawn Turner, Elizabeth Ramsey, Rolando Panganiban, Ric Manrique Jr., Louie Levant, Boy Leonardo, Carina Afable, Randy Madrid, Annie Gonzales, Carmen Perina, et al.

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MILLIONS & MILLIONS: Neil Sedaka is pictured at right receiving a gold record award from Giuseppe Ornato, RCA Italiana boss, at a special event in Rome's Brigadoon to celebrate sales of more than one million of his disks in Italian. With the sales of his English records, Sedaka wax tops two-million mark.

ARGENTINA

Disk Firms Aid Tango Comeback

By RUBEN MACHADO Lavalle 1183, Buenos Aires

The trade here sees the tango as recovering. Fermata has engaged singer Antonio Prieto ("La Novia") to record an LP entitled "12 Tangos Clasicos," accompanied by a string orchestra and a choir. RCA Victor has "Tango de Exportacion" with a selection of big hits by Anibal Troilo (Pichuco). Odeon gathers in a LP "Shows de tangos" with Mariano Mores, Florindo Sasone, Argentino Ledesma, Alfredo De Angelis, Miguel Montero and the Quinteto Pirincho

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of Francisco Canaro. Victor is also preparing the release of "Yo te canto Buenos Aires" with tango orchestras of some years ago. Angel D'Agostino, Raul Lavie are included. CBS released "Tangos para una ciudad" with Astor Piazolla.

> It is important to point out that this increasing interest in the tango follows strong reaction to recent numbers such as "Tan solo un loco amor," "Frente al mar," and "Porque la quise tanto."

> Sprint is a new publishing company in Buenos Aires. Its director, Jose Ruzo, was previously in Edami

> A Song Festival, organized by a commercial firm, Odol, has started to discover new tango. folk and pop music. The prizes for the winners are more than \$10,000 and organizers state that they are follownig the general lines of the San Remo Festival.

RCA CUTTING LOCAL AUSSIE DISK TALENTS

SYDNEY-RCA of Australia will enter the local field of producing recorded music featuring Australian talent. To this end they have signed Johnny Devlin as artists and repertoire manager in charge of local pop recordings. Devlin is an artist, producer, composer and arranger. His immediate plan is to produce a single with Digger Revell backed by the Denvermen. Later he will develop new artists and produce albums featuring local artists. Jim Cuff, merchandising manager, RCA record division, said: "We at RCA are excited about this development from a company point of view, and believe that Australian artists will benefit greatly from the international resources of RCA."

BRAZIL

CBS Has 10th **Anniversary**

By MAURICIO QUADRIO Rua Visconde da Gavea 125 Rio de Janeiro

On August 2, CBS, commemorating its 10th anniversary in Brazil, gave a cocktail party for press, radio, TV and record manufacturers. . . . By CBS courtesy, Alcides Gerardi has recorded his old hits for Odeon. . . . Othon Russo, CBS public relation, composed "Onde esta o Amor," which will be waxed by Eliete Veloso. . . . John S. Richards, RCA president, left Brazil for a new post in New York. Memories of the '20's will be brought back to Rio audiences by Maurice Chevalier, who will sing at the Municipal Theater, August 8, 9 and 10. His appearance here will mark the beginning of a South American tour.

"I Will Follow Him" (Chariot) has been released in various labels: Peggy March (RCA), Lana Bittencourt (CBS), Petula Clark (Mocambo) and Rosemary (RCA). Seventeen-year-old Rosemary, who has been recently signed by RCA, also recorded "Come te c'e Nessuno"-Brazilian version. . . . After Milt-inho's success ("Recuerdos") in Venezuela, RGE issued "Distancia," composed by Raul Sampaio and Benil Santos, to be released in Venezuela (Sonus) and Colombia. In this record Miltinho sings in Spanish. . . . Philips, now distributing MGM,

TAX MAKES IRISH SEE RED

DUBLIN—The industry here is particularly disturbed by the forthcoming "turnover tax," which caused thousands of traders to stage a protest march through Dublin last month. It is proposed that this will be levied on all commodities retailed here. While nominally the tax is 21/2 per cent, it is obvious that it will work out considerably in excess of that figure unless the retailer decides to absorb much of the tax at his own expense. In view of the educational value of various categories of classical material, however, such as language and spoken word releases, it is still hoped that records may be excluded from the tax in question.

IN EIRE:

Disk Imports Can Mean Court Case

DUBLIN — A campaign to discourage dealers from irregular imports of disks (usually shipped from the U. S. A.) has become intensified in the last few months. In a special statement to Billboard, Thomas Manahan, chief of Irish Record Factors, Ltd., said:

"Importers of such records are definitely playing with fire. There is the very real danger of trade - mark infringement, which applies to a high proportion of American manufactured disks.

"Then there is the matter of copyright infringement, brought to the attention of the entire trade by the Mechanical Copyright Protection Society, who inserted a notice in leading British magazines some weeks ago

released "Connie Francis Singing Sound Tracks." Also "Piano, Strings and Bossa Nova," with Lalo Schifrin. Elizete Cardoso (Copacabana) recorded "Elizete Interpreta Vinicius."

BRITAIN

Ember Splashes **New Acts in Wine**

By CHRIS HUTCHINS News Editor, New Musical Express

Jeff Kruger and his new a.&r. chief, John Barry, hosted a party at the Mayfair Hotel last Wednesday (14) to launch the new image of Ember Records and introduced many new artists who have been signed to the label. Kruger has planned an unusual system of issuing his disks inasmuch as they will be made available to distributors before an official release date has been set. The date of each release will then be fixed when a culmination of TV and radio plugs has been organized.

Dates have been set for the first releases. Jazz singer Annie Ross' album, "A Handful of Songs," was put out yesterday, as was a single by the John Barry Seven and Orchestra, "Kinky,"

to this effect. Our company (I.R.F.), with the permission of M.C.P.S., inserted a similar warning notice in the Irish Record Review."

An announcement concerning these irregular imports appeared also in Irish national newspapers recently. There is little doubt that further shipments of such records into this country will result in the importer being brought to court.

Trans Global Post to Rennie

LONDON - After 12 years with EMI here, Roland Rennie has left the firm and flew to the U. S. where he becomes presiident of Trans Global Music Company, Inc., of New York.

He held several posts as EMI and at the time of his departure was head of the licensed repertoire department. His duties in that capacity will be taken over by Rex Oldfield, who remains marketing manager.

which was written by alto-saxist Johnny Scott.

Next Friday Ember issues the debut disk by new singer Steve Cassidy, "Ecstasy." The number has quite a songwriting team behind it - singer Marty Wilde, Ember's New York rep Buddy Kaye (who penned such hits as "Devil in Disguise" for Elvis Presley, "The Next Time" for Cliff Richard, and 'Sppedy oGnzales," a big hit for Pat Boone), and Mike Pratt, who was once Lionel Bart's co-writer. Campbell-Connelly is publishing here. A new American release deal for Ember is also imminent.

Dealer Meet

A meeting of the Gramophone Record Retailers' Association in Manchester, called by Vice-Chairman Irving Wilson, passed a resolution which claimed that "British manufacturers have taken no action to restrain price cutting." Several instances of heavy price cuts were quoted, including the sale of an album in July which was for August release at a price of \$3.35-\$2 below the list price. The meeting urged more investigations by manufacturers on the subject

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ARGENTINE IS EXPORTING THE TANGO. Lee Shapiro, third from left, of RCA New York looks on as Anibal Troilo, the top Argentine tango musician, signs a contract to make an instrumental LP entitled "Troilo for Export" and which will be made in Latin America, the U. S., Spain, France, Italy and Japan. From left to right: Ricardo Mejia, a newspaperman, and Adolfo Pino, sales manager for RCA Argentina.

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and the publication of the results of such inquiries.

In London Chubby Checker said he will record in German September 9-10, directly after his stint in Berlin. He plans to return here and record specially for the British market in the last half of September.

Rolf Harris flies to New York where he is set to open at the Blue Angel October 21. He traveled to London from his summer show on the East Coast to record tracks for an album exclusively for U. S. release this fall. . . . Lonnie Donegan has been offered the lead in an Australian production of "Stop the World, I Want to Get Off" (the part Anthony Newley is currently playing on Broadway) which is to open at Sydney Tivoli in December. But whether or not he accepts depends on talks with Ed Padula, who is due here shortly to discuss the lead in "Kelly," which is scheduled for a Broadway opening next March. . . . George Martin, the man largely responsible for the Liver-

largely responsible for the Liverpool record boom here, is Shirley Bassey's new recording manager. . . . On his return from
New York, Leslie Bricusse declined an invitation from the
BBC to talk about an LP he
made there with Anthony Newley, Peter Sellers and others satirizing the recent British scandal.
The business was shocked by

Zahl, a director of the Foster Agency, which represents the William Morris office here. He was 57 and had been ill for three weeks. Only recently Zahl returned from an Australian trip where he had been accompanying his artist, Andy Stewart. ... "Wham, Bam, Thank You Ma'am," starring Oscar Brown Jr., folded two weeks after the start of its provincial true true.

start of its provincial tryout run. Decca a.&r. chief Dick Rowe left London last week for New York on a four-week business tour of America and Canada. . . . J. J. Agi, of Pathe Marconi, Paris, was in for talks at EMI head office. . . Little Peggy March das due in Thursday for a 10-day promotional trip. . . . Mark Wynter will visit Copenhagen, Oslo, Stockholm and Helsinki for two weeks of concerts in October and go on to Germany for recording sessions. . . . Judy Garland's daughter, Liza Minelli, has made her British record debut with "One Summer Love" on Capitol. United Artists is publishing. . . . Liberty is reissuing four Eddie Cochran EP's in September and November and his first LP, "Singin' to My Baby," in October. Cochran single "Drive-In Show" is being released this week.

EIRE

Tourists Also Buy the Hits

By KEN STEWART Irish Times, Ltd., Dublin

According to reports from dealers in the Dublin area, tourist business is expected to rise sharply this year. Particularly noticeable are the many visitors from France, Spain, Sweden and several other European countries. not only are they asking for the usual Irish souvenir disks, but there have been large quantities of Elvis Presley and Cliff Richard hits sold.

As anticipated, Pye's biggest sellers are singles, EPs and albums by Michael O'Duffy and Maureen Miller. Label's recent signing, Chuck Winter, is chalking up excellent sales with "Just for You," which is currently

among the nation's top five EPs.
EMI released the Alex North

EMI released the Alex North Stateside album of music from "Cleopatra," although it will be months before the movie is screened here. . . . The movie "55 Days at Peking" opened at the Savoy, Dublin. Track album is out on CBS, while Pye has a single by Kenny Ball, who is now touring the country.

GERMANY

Firms Release 370 New Disks

By CHRISTIAN TOERSLEFF 48 Uhlenhorster Weg Hamburg 22

Thirteen German record companies released in four weeks: 164 singles, 71 EP's and 135 LP's.

Helmut Stolt, for four years managing director for IPA Radio Luxemburg in Germany, will leave the company on December 31... Hans Ritter, formerly DGG and Electrola, is now classical producer for Ariola's Eurodisc Production.

... Dieter Heck, promotion manager, changed from Edition Marbot to Ralf Arnie Musikedition in Hamburg. . . . The Berlin performance of "My Fair Lady," on Philips, is still the top LP here. . . . Lawrence Greene, attorney of Central Songs, visited Germany and Denmark.

The indie Abanola label hit the charts with two slops: "Let's Slop" and "Veedeboom Slop Slop," played by Mike Roger and His Machine-Guns. Both singles were also recorded by Polydor with Tony Sheridan and by Deutsche Vogue with Shorty Miller.

Felix Stahl, from Stockholm Musikproduktion, recorded in Hamburg seven instrumental titles with the Hans Last ork for release in U. S. A. Stahl also got the rights in Sweden for "Ich will 'nen Cowboy als Mann," winning title of German Song Festival, of which 250,000 copies, sung by Gitte on Electrola, have been sold.

HONG KONG

Six Year-Old Wins Talent Test

By CARL MYATT 27A Estoril Court

A little Filipina last week won what was certainly Hong Kong's



HANS LIEBER, general manager, Teldec of Germany, and Arthur Waizenegger, sales manager, Teldec, returned to Hamburg after their visit at the RCA Victor conclave in West Virginia.

biggest talent contest. The sixyear-old Teresa Carpio, daughter of a local musician, danced and sang her way to the top prize of 1,500 Hong Kong dollars plus a recording contract with Gerri Scott's Orbit Record Company.

Teresa won this competition from 529 other entrants—a wonderful feat for such a youngster. This correspondent was one of several judges invited to judge the finals in which there were 27 singers and instrumental groups.

The standard in the finals was probably higher than it has ever been before, and refreshingly, there were few real imitators. The Presley influence, in particular, was conspicuous by its absence. The 1,500 capacity City Hall was jammed to the ceiling on the big day. Admission was free, but the organizers issued tickets on a first-come, first-served basis after over 5,000 applications for tickets had been received in a matter of a few days.

Orbit Records recently announced the acquisition of the agencies for the following records: Pye, Blue Note, Oriole, Pallette, Vee Jay, King, W & G (Australia) and Embassy (England). The company is run by the husband and wife team of Gerri Scott and Igo Fischer, who are still active in their own careers as singers and musician. Miss Scott left Hong Kong for Singapore on Monday to take up a two-week engagement at the Goodwood Park Hotel. Igo fronts his own band at one of the local night clubs.

ITALY

RCA to Cover All of Italy

By SAM'L STEINMAN Piazza S. Anselmo 1, Rome

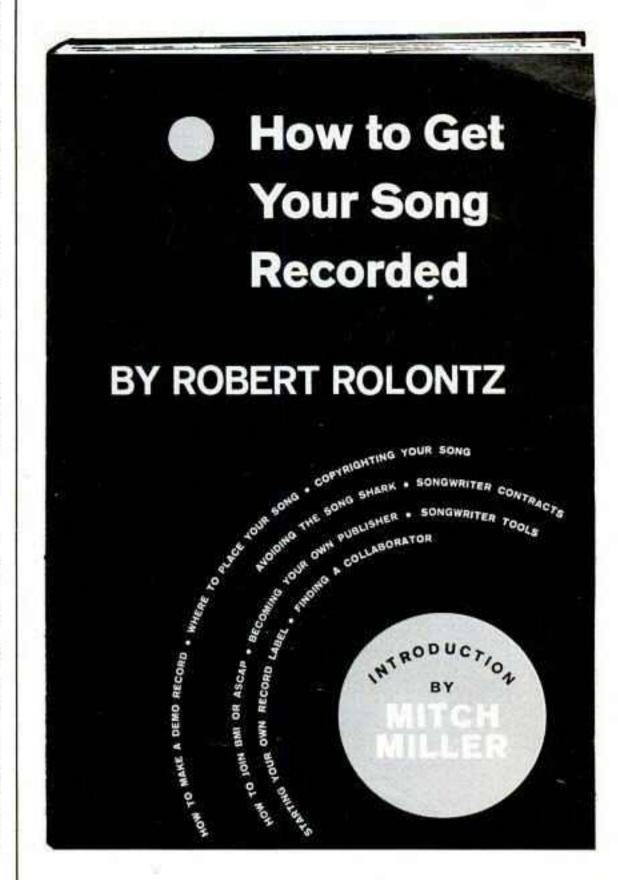
High-flying RCA, which has cornered about 50 per cent of the Italian disk market, is far from content to rest upon its laurels. Following a survey of record buying and selling habits, it discovered that only 1,000 of Italy's 8,200 cities and towns have sales outlets, and to overcome this it has begun a twoyear program to put its product on sale in every one of the 7,200 towns which do not sell recorded music at present. In addition to finding shops to handle the product, the company is planning traveling stores which will play, display and sell records on set days in various towns traveling from community to community. . . . Ricordi has just issued two trade disks which run more than eight minutes each with the top recordings on CBS on one and of Ricordi on the other. A Hawaiian lei entitled "A Necklace of Hits" is the title of each and for further promotion each dealer has received a lei of plastic flowers to duplicate the cover design. More than a dozen names are featured on each record. . . . Latest gold-

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Jan Peerce, of the Metropolitan; Joy Clements, of Ohio; Paul Ukena, of Iowa, and Howard Fried, from New York, found it fun to accommodate conductor William Steinberg's demand that the opera be performed in the language familiar to the au-

dience, a demand he makes wherever the Pittsburgh conductor appears. Claiming that opera should be also understood, not only listened to, he got the international cast, including European stars Hilda Zadek and Dezso Ernster, of Vienna, to join the Hebrew singing cast and with the aid of their Israeli Colleagues and members of the Tel Aviv Choir, they managed very

Claimed one reviewer: "It's a good thing Mr. Steinberg didn't realize half the audiences filling the huge halls in five performances would have preferred the original German, or the English version, for being newcomers Hebrew is as hard for them to follow. . . ."

JAPAN

Cannonball Wax Cut in Japan

By J. FUKUNISHI 108 Kakinokizaka Meguroku, Tokyo

Nippon Victor is going to release, under the logo of Riverside, a package of three stereo LP's of Cannonball Adderley's Sextet which were recorded at the combo's three concerts given in Tokyo, and an album, "Soul of Flamenco," by Carlos Montoya in conjunction with the third visit of this Spanish guitarist in September.

Nippon Columbia lists a package of two stereo LP's, "Thelonius Monk in Tokyo," which contain on-the-spot recordings of the group's performance at Sankei Concert Hall; Connie Francis' "If My Pillow Could Talk" (MGM); "Shoutin', Wailin', Hard Drivin' Pop Gospels," by Sweet Chariot Singers; a stereo sound-track album of "55 Days in Peking," with two singles from the same sound track, and "The Bitter and the Sweet," by Pete Seeger, in time for his arrival this autumn.

Nippon Victor is also putting out a stereo album cut by Toshiko-Mariano Quartet.

Jacques Kerner, export manager of Companie Phonographique Française (Barclay label), Paris, arrived in Tokyo July 17 to negotiate a license contract with a couple of major Japanese companies, and completed a deal with King Records, affiliate of London, and Telefunken July 19. Barclay's agreement with Asahi-Sonorama Company had expired about a month ago.... Nippon Grammophon's imported German-pressed albums: "Tchaikowsky — Piano Concerto No. 2" and "Beethoven-Complete Symphonies" (Von Karajan - Berlin Phil.) chalked up tremendous sales. On the heels of this unexpected success, the label decided to make the third import of operatic works in conjunction with the visits of Italian and German opera companies this autumn.

NORWAY

Sales Bloom In Summer Heat

By ESPEN ERIKSEN c/o Verdens Gang, Oslo

Business has been blooming during the summer, and sales manager Arild Tegtmeyer of A/S Nera claims that July has been almost as good as the Christmas season. Although this is something of an exaggeration, it is true that this year's July has been better than many years past. Nera has been selling mainly RCA hit tunes, among them Elvis Presley's "Devil in Disguise," Jim Reeves' "Welcome to My World" and local thrush Grynet Molvig's "Ser du Jan sa hils fra meg.

Norsk Phonogram is also pleased with summer sales, especially those of the local quartet, Olkabilamo (the Salhus Quintette) with their rendition of "Singel Og Sand." The vocal group has recorded another tune, on Philips "Fiskarlaat" c/w "Ungkarslaat." . . . A record that the American tourists buy a lot is "Scandinavian Folk Melodies in American Style" sung by the Scandihoovians. The Viking EP record contains

four well-known Scandinavian folk tunes sung in a strange mixture of Norwegian and American. Export has been arranged for Sweden, Denmark and the US. The platter was the last produced by American a&r-man Jack Vaughn before he left Viking Music to go back to the USA.

Norsk Phonogram is also planning a campaign to promote the sales of jazz records in Norway, and starts with the LP "Cannonball Adderley Plays Bossa Nova" on the Riverside label for 25 Norwegian Kroner (ordinary price is 36). Jazz sales in Norway area near tragedy. . . . Two visitors from the Philips main organization in Holland arrived in Oslo on a Scandinavian tour, sales manager Tony van der Haar and the technical director, M. Lambeek.

URUGUAY

Club Clan Disks Solid Sellers

By ALBERTO MARAVI Diorio La Manana Casillo de Correro 990, Montevideo

The great success of the Club Clan has been evident through the great sales of records and television ratings. This club is composed of young Argentine singers who record for VIK, a subsidiary label of RCA Victor, and, who are the sensation on both sides of the River Plate. Adriano Celentano has used Club Clan to identify his record brand in Italy, and Ricardo Mejia, a director of RCA Argentina, used it in South America to pep up the interest of record buyers in the interpreters of the "new wave."

With the co-operation of

Violeta Rivas, Palito Ortega, Jolly Land, Raul Lavie, Lalo Fransen, Johnny Tedesco, Chico Novarro, Cachita Galan, Perico Gomez and Nicky Jones, he mounted a TV show which he called the Club Clan, a program directed to the teen-age group. Scheduled on Saturdays on Channel 13 in Buenos Aires, it rapidly went up in audience rating and made possible the appearance of two LP's of the Club Clan series that rapidly reached high sales records, due to their success in TV. When the Club Clan videotape was shown in Montevideo, on Channel 4, this program was also shown in Buenos Aires, and now such songs as "El Camaleon," "Filos-ofito" (Chico Novarro), "Confesemonos" (Violet Rivas), "Camelia," "Bienvenido Amor," "No Es Nada" (Palito Ortega) "Ensenando Bossa Nova," "Mira Como Me Balanceo" (Jolly Land) and "La Media Medalia" (Lalo Fransen) have hit the market with impact in national rankings in Uruguay and Argentine. The hit of the Club Clan on records and TV has also made it possible to make a movie that will use the same stars. By the middle of August, a new LP,

their third, will be released. As we had already noted, musical production in Brazil could not restrict itself to Portugal, Uruguay and Argentina and its own consumption. The notable quality of their records, good repertory, high quality of artists, musicians, arrangers and directors indicated that sooner or later Brazil would find the way of making their market bigger. And that they would try by competing in the Latin American markets by exporting their hits in Spanish. The time has arrived.

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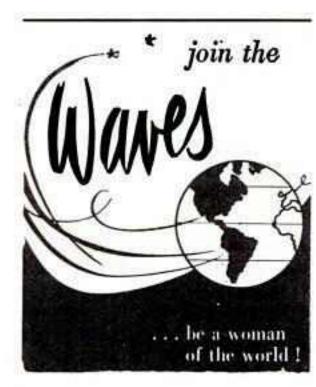
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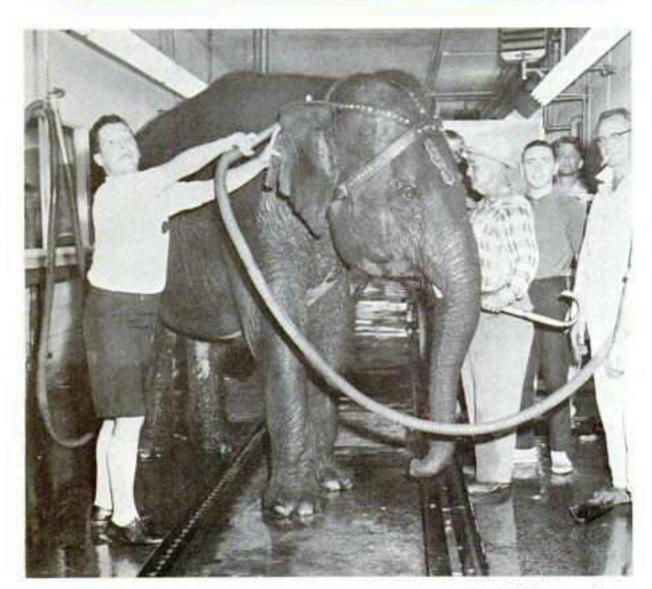
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programming newsletter

By BILL GAVIN

Billboard Contributing Editor - Publisher, Bill Gavin's Record Report, 114 Sansom St.,

"HOW TO BREAK INTO BROADCASTING" is the title of a recently published pamphlet written by Jim Hawthorne, vice-president and national program manager of the Crowell-Collier Broad-

casting Corporation. Jim has written his pamphlet partly in self defense. A man in his position is inevitably pestered with applications for employment. Some few know how to go about it. Most applicants do not. The majority of job seekers in the broadcasting field, it would appear, have had little or no contact with it, except for hearing the end product on their radios.

Some people shouldn't even bother to apply.

Basic minimums include a high school education—

preferably college, willingness to move from one town to another, willingness to start at a small job for very small wages and, above all, intense and enduring desire. The main ingredient, says Jim, is hard work, above and beyond the call of a 40-hour week.

It often does not occur to the job applicant that his talent and experience do not automatically speak for themselves. They must be effectively presented. The careful preparation of a presentation is important. It indicates to the prospective employer the type of care and thoroughness that he can expect from the applicant in performing his assigned tasks.

Jim Hawthorne will not accept telephone applications, even if they come from highly qualified people. It is his feeling that a serious application deserves to be put in writing.

Audition tapes are essential accompaniments to all applications for air work. Some DJ's send air checks of their actual performance. Jim advises against it. The whole idea of a tape is to show how original and creative a DJ can be when freed of the restrictions of a particular station policy. The careful preparation of such an audition tape is critical. A perfunctory approach indicates a lack of interest on the part of the applicant and results in a lack of interest on the part of the employer.

A SPECIAL OPPORTUNITY, WHICH SOMETIMES is not accepted as such, comes when the tape is returned with the request to try it again and do it better. Too many applicants regard such a response as a form of polite rejection and are never heard from again. Actually, it means that the applicant has passed many of the tests already and is being considered as a good possibility, provided that he can come up with something distinctive.

Jim touches a point of show business psychology here which, in my own observation, has stood in the way of talent development. The "ham" in all of us wants applause—approval. Too often the man with talent prefers not to expose himself to continued objections or corrections. It wounds his own self esteem to find that others may

Lone Star Stations Sound Off on Program Vs. Sales

By O. R. ALLEN

DALLAS — A cross-section survey of the radio station, saturated Dallas-Fort Worth area proves an obvious point—record programming on local stations does influence record sales and juke box play. Not so obvious, though, is how stations program their music and their attitudes toward record sales.

A list of questions submitted to several stations throws some light on this problem and other problems as well.

KLIF, a Top 40-type station, was first to take up the gauntlet. Stan Richards, program director and disk jockey, did the answer-

Q: Do you attribute the musical taste in the Dallas area for rock and roll to your programming, or do you cater to the desire which is already there?

A: We try to program to fit the desire of the public. However, we do try, to some extent, to mold audience desire toward better quality. This, though, is something which cannot be forced. Here, as in most cities, music desire fluctuates with the seasons. As a general rule, summer is geared for the hard and harsh sounds. Toward the end of August, and progressively from then on, the mood for softer music becomes the thing.

Q: In your opinion can any rock and roll disk be made into a popular number or does it have to have a certain something which will cause it to catch on?

A: No record can be pushed off on the public. It must have a commercial appeal to go over, feeling which catches on. Some records which have been tried

Cold Shoulder— KSTP Tells Why

minneapolis — KSTP radio here is telling people how to dress. Beginning this fall the station will air its "chill chart" —wind chill temperatures based on United States Navy field research and published charts which compute the effect of wind and temperature on people.

The wind - chill temperature essentially refers to how cold it "feels." For example, a wind-chill temperature of 40 below and calm, an individual would experience the same heat loss as if the temperature was 10 below with a 16-mile-per-hour wind. The stronger the wind, the colder you feel and the greater the heat loss.

If you are interested in obtaining copies of KSTP's windchill temperature charts, contact Leigh Kamman, the station's program director.

Mo. Radiomen Meet

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. —
The annual fall convention of
the Missouri Broadcasters Association will be held at the
Missouri Hotel here on October
3 and 4, according to Don
Dailey, general manager of
KGBX, Springfield, and president of MBA.

in this area and in other areas have had a good sound but have failed because they just did not have anything which would appeal to a wide audience.

Q: Do you realize the effect that your programming has on local record sales.

A: Yes, we realize the effect. We would prefer that it didn't have this effect because it puts a terrific burden on the station in that it must be right 60 per cent of the time, because record shops depend on us when they buy. We also realize that some retail dealers use our Top 40 lists as buying guides. That's the way it is, and it can't be changed, due to the nature of the medium.

Q: What method do you use to select records which will be

played?

A: We compiled a list of Top 15 retail dealers in singles in the Dallas area. We got their names from a list of local dealers supplied by the local records we try because of response received in other areas which our sister stations serve. We also consult the various music trade publications. In order to be as thorough as possible we use every means available which reflects public desire.

Q: What do you see in the future for folk and country and western types, and what do you think caused the sudden up-

2 Stations Get a Break

WASHINGTON - The prevacationing FCC commissioners gave two embattled radio stations a breather last week: WABC, the ABC network's AM station in New York, will not have to go into action on a directional antenna that would limit its coverage until a final court decision on the network's battle to retain its clear channel unduplicated. KWK, the St. Louis station which lost its license because of alleged fraud in treasure hunts, will have a chance to argue for its life before the Commission September 9.

WABC had been given 30 days in which to file application for a directional antenna to protect its share-channel Station KOB, Albuquerque, N. M. The network's AM station has battled for 21 years to reverse the FCC's decision to let KOB share its channel. ABC went to court to protest competitive injury if it must operate with limited coverage, while CBS and NBC radio outlets in New York have unlimited clear - channel coverage.

KWK recently accused the FCC's Broadcast Bureau of conducting a persecution against owner Andrew M. Spheeris, although alleged violations by the fraudulent treasure hunts were committed under a previous management no longer with the station. KWK will argue that forfeiture is sufficient to make the punishment fit the crime in this case—not revocation.

surge in popularity of folk music?

A: Country and western has been on the rise since 1955. Although it was never dead, new general interest has grown out of its close kinship with rock and roll. The interest in folk music is due to the fact that it it is the only thing really different which has been offered musicially during the past three or four years.

Q: Is the general quality of music getting better?

A: I can't answer because tastes fluctuate according to seasons. Oh, of course, I could tell you that it is getting better and then tomorrow the worst possible conglomeration of sounds could catch on and become the top record.

Q: Do you agree that Dallas is the hardest rock and roll city in Texas?

A: No. Dallas has had one of the softest summer seasons in music sounds in a long time.

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Hass Is Arts Co-Ordinator

DETROIT—Karl Hass, who holds the unique post of director of fine arts of WJR, has been named consultant by the Ford Foundation to co-ordinate the arts program of the Foundation in Berlin, taking over September 1. His position on the arts is similar to that of former Harvard President James B. Conant as consultant on education at Berlin.

Emphasis will be heavy on the performing arts, including music, opera, and drama, but will include plastic, graphic, and other art forms as well. The Foundation plans to make awards to outstanding composers, conductors, dramatists, writers and others to enable them to work in Berlin, to make this an international cultural center.

Hass, himself a concert pianist, will record his daily (six a week) one-hour program, "Adventures in Good Music," in Berlin, bringing European music directly to a large American audience daily. He will also continue his Sunday evening program Spectrum, covering all the arts on a similar basis. Both programs are rebroadcast worldwide over the U. S. Armed Forces Radio Network.

Church Spots Short & Sweet

PITTSBURGH—The idea of short commercial messages for religious groups, as opposed to the usual half-hour or hour offerings, seem to be gaining interest across the nation.

Jingles are being broadcast in the Midwest as paid commercials for the United Presbyterian Church of the United States. They were produced by Stan Freberg.

Fred E. Walker, KDKA radio's general manager is most pleased by this development as he predicted in a speech made nearly 10 years ago before the New Jersey Council of Churches that the days of the half-hour religious program were numbered.

To this, most broadcasters will say, Amen!

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say, Amen.

not share his high opinion of his ability. Such a hollow ego finds it difficult, if not impossible, to confess his need for further improvement. A realistic and humble appraisal of one's own talent as a growth potential rather than a summit of achievement is something Jim does not mention, but I'm sure he would agree.

Our author hammers repeatedly on his basic themes: intense desire and hard work. Any successful radio man would say, "Amen."

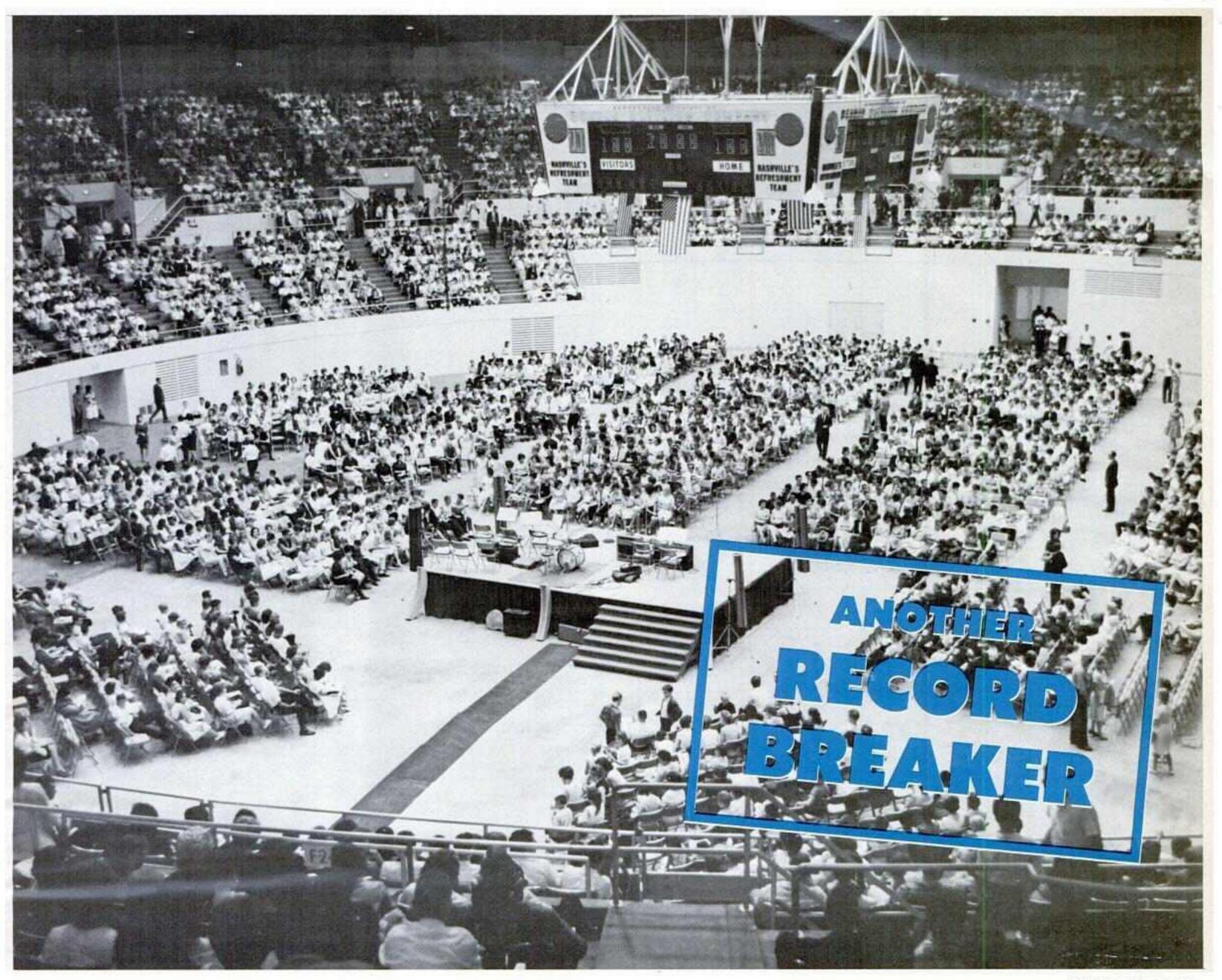


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Focus on the Deejay Scene



DURING A RECENT POLE taken by WNBC's Big Wilson . . . actually the story is that when Big came to New York from KYW, Cleveland, his first home was his boat that he and his wife, Jody and son "J. J." sailed from Lake Erie. The Wilson's were at home on Long Island Sound, just off Cos Cob, Conn., except they missed a telephone. Wilson called New York Tel. and arranged for a pole to be placed on the shore and a phone hooked up to his boat. When the Wilson family later moved to City Island, Big heard he could give his private pole to the Rowing Club for the New York Institute for the Education of the Blind for use as dock piling. Big (in suit) didn't realize he'd have to help carry the thing too!

Lone Star Stations Sound Off

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Next station questioned was KVIL, a station which goes in for the quieter type music, the old favorites and occasionally something semi-classical on its AM outlet. Dillard Carrera, program director, did the answering.

Q: How does the number of listeners to your station compare with those of the two Top 40 stations?

A: Our audience is not the same as the two Top 40 stations here. In a survey we found that our audience is older and more mature, belonging to the higher income and education bracket. For instance, the Southern Methodist University student newspaper asked its readers which station they listened to while studying, and KVIL came out on top.

Q: What method do you use in making record selections?

A: We subscribe to the major surveys and use the record ratings found in trade magazines. Here at KVIL the music director and myself sit down once each week and go over these surveys and ratings and pick those records which fit our format. We do not let public demand dictate; that is, we don't program from what is selling best in singles. We are not concerned with those sales. For instance, when listeners call here wanting information they usually want information on albums, not singles. The single trade is made up of teen-agers, who, naturally, are not in a financial position to afford LP albums.

Back to the rock and roll, Top 40 type station, Tom Murphy, operations manager at KBOX, was next questioned.

Q: Do you attribute the musical taste in the Dallas area for rock and roll to your programming, or do you cater to a desire which is already there?

A: There is a desire with or without the radio station. I don't like to talk about rock and roll in that the connotation is not today the same as it was say six or eight years ago. Music we play now appeals equally to adults and to the teen-agers. I feel that our audience is made up of a good number of both groups.

Q: In your opinion, can any rock and roll disk be made into a popular number, or does it have to have a certain something which will cause it to catch on.

A: A song or record must have something. Continued repetition of a number will not sell it. It must be good to begin with. Records are like any product. If it's not good it won't

A: Do you realize the effect that your programming has on the local record sales?

A: Yes. Radio is the medium through which the record industry is aired. When the public hears something which it likes it will buy it. If you waited for the juke boxes to carry the disks the industry would be slow indeed.

Q: What method do you use in your selection of records

A: We use a combination of every possible means to program. Say, for example, 25 per cent based on national sales, 25 per cent on local sales, 25 per cent on listener requests by telephone and cards and 25 per cent on our own opinion after a joint meeting of the program manager, the station manager and the disk jockeys. More records come in each week than could ever be played on the air. We listen to these and compare and pick a few.

Q: Is the general quality of

music getting better?

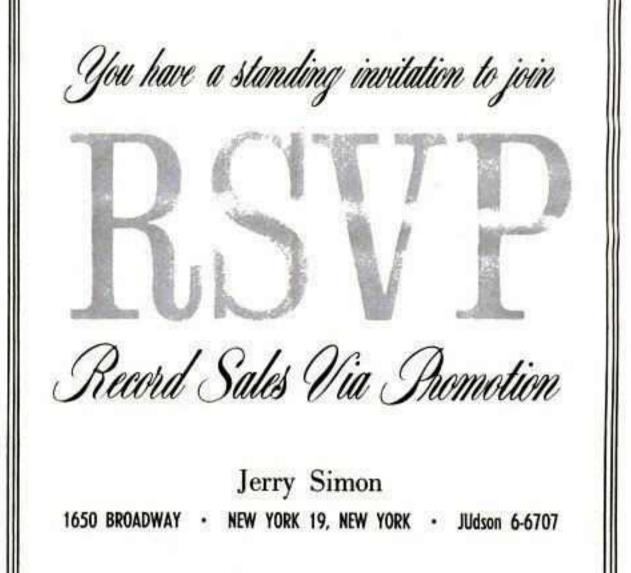
A: Yes. The general national trend in music is toward better music. I must repeat that the definition of rock and roll must be understood as different from the definition which prevailed 10 years ago. Today it

does not refer to that music with a definite beat but with very little or no artistry. Now the music represents real talent, and real artists work on good tunes. The music business has become competitive and good tunes plus talent is now strongly influencing the market.

Big Blast in Catalog

NEW YORK—The new Eighth Edition Catalog of Back-ground Music has been recently released by Thomas J. Valentino, Inc. The Major Mood Music Library includes bridges, fanfares, openings, tags, and production numbers.





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BEST TRACKS FROM THE NEW SPOTLIGHT LP'S

These are the tracks selected for disk jockey programming by Billboard's reviewing panel as the most outstanding from this week's new LP Spotlights.

POPULAR

INGREDIENTS IN A RECIPE FOR SOUL-Ray Charles (ABC-Paramount ABC 465, ABCS 465) "Ol Man River" (T. B. Harms, ASCAP) (5:35)

GOODNIGHT MY LOVE-The Fleetwoods (Dolton BST 8025, BLP 8025) "Sure Is Lonesome Downtown" (Cedarwood, BMI) (2:27)

TEEN SCENE-Chet Atkins (RCA Victor LPM 2719, LSP 2719) "Sweetle Baby" (BMI) (2:19)

1963—THE YEAR'S MOST POPULAR THEMES-Enoch Light & His Ork (Command RS 854, RS 354) "Days of Wine and Roses"

HOOTENANNY WITH THE HIGH-WAYMEN-(United Artists UAL 3294, UAS 6294) "Roll On, Columbia, Roll On" (Llulow, BMI) (2:37)

CLEOPATRA AN ALL THAT JAZZ-Al Caiola and the Nile River Boys (United Artists UA 6299) "Anthony (Robbins, and Cleopatra Theme" ASCAP)

JAZZ

TWO HOURS WITH THELONIOUS (2-12")-Thelonious Monk (Riverside 460/461, 9460/61 "Getting Sentimental Over You" (8:32)

SILVER'S SERENADE—Horace Silver Quintet (Blue Note 4131) "Silver's Serenade."

COUNTRY

THE WAYS OF LIFE-Hank Locklin (RCA Victor LPM 2680, LSP 2680) "Slowly" (BMI) (1:59)

MIDDLE-ROAD SINGLES

Not too far out in either direction, the following singles, selected from the current Hot 100, are the most popular middle-road records of the week. Rank order here is based on relative standing in the Hot 100.

This Week	Last Week	From this week's Hot 100 Weeks or TITLE, ARTIST, LABEL Hot 100
1 1	1	BLOWIN' IN THE WIND, Peter, Paul & Mary, Warner Bros. 5368
2 1	2	MORE, Kai Winding, Verve 10295
2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	5	DANKE SCHOEN, Wayne Newton, Capitol 4989
4	3	GREEN, GREEN, New Christy Minstrels, Columbia 42805
5	7	TRUE LOVE NEVER RUNS SMOOTH, Gene Pitney, Musicor 1032
6	13	FRANKIE AND JOHNNY, Sam Cooke, RCA Victor 8215
7	15	PAINTED, TAINTED ROSE, Al Martino, Capitol 5000
8	11	MAKE THE WORLD GO AWAY, Timi Yuro, Liberty 55587
9	8	MY WHOLE WORLD IS FALLING DOWN, Brenda Lee, Decca 31510
10	14	I (Who Have Nothing), Ben T. King, Atco 6267
11	1000	BLUE VELVET, Bobby Vinton, Epic 9614
12	18	I WANT TO STAY HERE, Steve & Eydie, Columbia 42815
13	4	ABILENE, George Hamilton IV, RCA Victor 8181
14	6	HOPELESS, Andy Williams, Columbia 42784
15	10	DETROIT CITY, Bobby Bare, RCA Victor 8183
16	9	I WONDER, Brenda Lee, Decca 31510
16	- 25	YOU CAN NEVER STOP ME LOVING YOU, Johnny Tilloston, Cadence 1437
18		DESERT PETE, Kingston Trio, Capitol 5005
19	_	HEY THERE LONELY BOY, Ruby & Romantics, Kapp 544
20	-	8 X 10, Bill Anderson, Decca 31521

YESTERYEAR'S HITS

Change-of-pace programming from your librarian's shelves, featuring the disks that were the hottest in the land five years ago and ten years ago this week. Here's how they ranked in Billboard's chart of that time:

POP-5 YEARS AGO August 25, 1958

- 1. Bird Dog, Everly Brothers, Cadence
- 2. Little Star, Elegants, Apt.
- 3. Volare (Nel Blu Dipinto Di Blu), D. Modugno, Decca
- 4. Just a Dream, Jimmy Clanton, Ace
- 5. Poor Little Fool, Ricky Helson, Imperial
- 6. Patricia, Prez Prado, RCA Victor 7. My True Love, Jack Scott, Carlton
- 8. Splish Splash, Bobby Darin, Alco
- 9. Rebel-Rouser, Duane Eddy, Jamie 10. When, Kalin Twins, Decca

POP-10 YEARS AGO August 22, 1953

- 1. Vaya Con Dios, L. Paul & M. Ford,
- 2. No Other Love, P. Como, ASCAP
- 3. I'm Walking Behind You, E. Fisher,
- ASCAP 4. You, You, You, Ames Brothers,
- RCA Victor
- 5. P. S.: I Love You, Hilltoppers, ASCAP 6. Oh, Pee Wee Hunt, ASCAP
- 7. Song From Moulin Rouge, P. Faith, Columbia
- 8. C'Est Si Bon, E. Kitt, ASCAP
- 9. Crying in the Chapel, J. Valli, RCA Victor
- 10. With These Hands, E. Fisher, ASCAP

RHYTHM & BLUES-5 Years Ago-August 18, 1958

Just a Dream, Jimmy Clanton, Ace Little Star, Elegants, Apt Patricia, Prez Prado, RCA Victor Poor Little Fool, Ricky Nelson, Imperial My True Love, Jack Scott, Carlton

Splish Splash, Bobby Darin, Atco Bird Dog, Everly Brothers, Cadence Western Movies, Olympics, Demon Rebel-Rouser, Duane Eddy, Jamie Willie and the Hand Jive, Johnny Otis Show,

WABC Tags Winther

NEW YORK-Donn E. Winther, former assistant sales manager of WBZ-TV, Boston, has been appointed advertising and promotion manager of WABC

radio. Winther, who began his career in 1950 in the production department of WCAU AM-TV. Philadelphia, is the winner of the NBC Promotion Competition in 1961 and for two consecutive years was recipient of the Billboard promotion awards.

NOX TOX

By GILL FAGGEN

AT YOUR SERVICE: The General Federation of Women's Clubs has cited WTMJ-TV (Milwaukee) and the station's women's commentator, Beulah Donohue, for "responsibility and service" to the community.

Thomas Y. Gorman, general manager of WEEI (CBS-Boston) has received a personal letter from Vice Admiral E. W. Grenfall, commander Submarine Force, United States Fleet, commending the station for its efforts in raising almost \$7,000 for the USS Thresher Memorial Fund.

KPHO-TV (Phoenix) was awarded for the second straight year the National Safety Council's Public Service Award for exceptional service to safety during the past year.

WIOD (Miami, Fla.) recipient of special award from Variety Children's Hospital.... WRFM (N.Y.C.) cited by U. S. Treasury Department for patriotic service in connection with the savings bonds program.... KYW radio (Cleveland) received American Bar Association Silver Gavel Award, August 15 as a part of ABA's 86th annual meeting. Award was given for series "A Look at the Law," produced and narrated by Harv Morgan on Program PM. . . . the ABA also presented a Certificate of Merit to WLW (Cincinnati) for its educational series "Government Under Law."

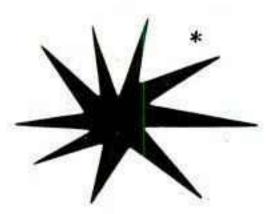


THREE CHEERS for model Joan Zeller who has been named WEEI Cheerleader of the Year and will represent the station throughout the 1963 season of Boston Patriots and Boston College football.

New York record promo man, Jerry Ross of Portem Distributors had the perfect squelch for WINS deejay Jack Lacey when asked what he was doing all alone at 5:30 p.m. in the station's lobby. "I'm waiting for the format to change," said Ross hopefully.

CHUM's morning man Al Boliska came up with a cute idea to tie in with Allen Sherman's latest, "Hello Muddah, Hello Faddah." He appealed to parents to send in any letters they had received from their children at camp. The response was immediate, providing a ready source of humorous human interest material for the air.

HELP FIRE! 18,000 LP's and 45's were lost in the recent fire at KAML (Kenedy, Texas). The recently rebuilt station will hold an open house September 24. The boys have painted the control and studio rooms baby blue and will refer to their music as "Music from the Blue Room of 990."



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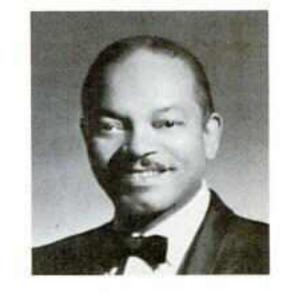
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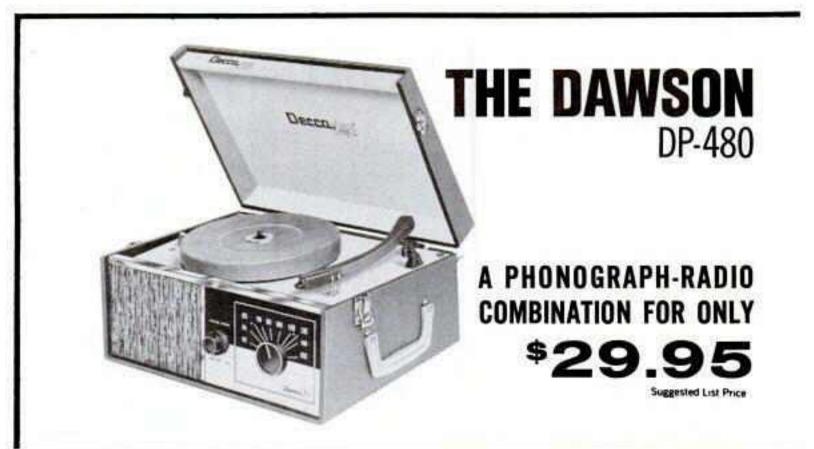




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ARE WE ON THE VERGE of some really important developments in tape recording? From this corner, it looks possible—even probable. There are several portents which seem to indicate that

the tape field is about to undergo a revolution which is technological as well as economic.



There's no need to recall the steady growth of tape recording in the past several years, nor to state that this year will break all records in the recorder field and that next year is bound to be bigger. Each year sees new manufacturers enter the field. This year, for example, Magnavox, Westinghouse, Arvin, Symphonic and Estey, among others, became active in tape recorder sales. An

increasing volume of imported tape instruments is coming into the country—varying from \$20 toys to \$1,000 professional precision recorders.

Despite its growth, however, the tape recorder market today is still in the "specialty" category. Nevertheless, enough astute manufacturing and merchandising leaders are now in the field to indicate a conviction that it eventually can become an important mass market. And it's a safe assumption that more laboratories are working on more developments in the recording field than at any time in the past.

The tape recorder, at this moment, has limited appeal as a consumer product, compared—for example—with the phonograph or the snapshot camera. As a real mass-market product, it still has some significant limitations. One may involve the much-debated problem of convenience in loading and playing—open-reel vs. tape cartridge. We don't believe this is the most important limitation, and we'll leave this problem for later.

Watch That Cost

The real limiting factor in tape may well be cost. By this, we mean "systems cost"—not only the cost of the machine, but more significantly, cost of the tape itself.

Tape could get its most important push into the mass-product field with the solution of this cost problem—to the point where tape's cost is comparable with (or lower than) the actual price of LP records.

As tape recorder popularity continues to increase and tape usage goes up, there are bound to be some gradual price reductions on tape—both raw and recorded—as well as further improvements such as the new triple-play tape.

The real opportunities for significant reduction in operating costs probably lie within the tape instrument itself. One of the most important may well be the development of new tape heads which permit high fidelity operation at slow speeds. Tape played at 1% inches per second, for example, is only one-fourth as expensive as tape at 7½ inches, per unit of recording time. This type of cost reduction, and increase in playing time per reel, has really significant implications.

Two tape machines are already on the market which claim high fidelity at 1% inches per second, as result of new head design. The first was the 3M-Revere cartridge machine, which uses tape only one-seventh of an inch wide. The latest is the Roberts "Crossfield" recorder, which records at 1% inches per second on standard tape with a claimed frequency response of 40 to 13,000 cycles plus or minus 3 db.

Both of these machines are relatively expensive, but their mere existence gives solid evidence of the direction in which tape is moving. New generations of tape-saving machines, at lower prices, are inevitable.

There are other problems which must be solved, of course, if tape is to find its way into every U. S. household—such as the economics of commercial reproduction of pre-recorded tape.

Even though pre-recorded tape sales will continue to increase, it's fairly obvious that tape won't become a substitute for records in the near future. Tape and disks can co-exist, just as the Polaroid camera co-exists with conventional cameras in many families. Music play is just one of the uses for recorders. The recording feature will probably always be the most important selling-point, and it's never been properly exploited or dramatized.

A Coming Battle

The question of open-reel vs. cartridge tape will reach new significance in the next year or two if Minnesota Mining's tape cartridge changer achieves popularity. Inevitably, as tape recording becomes more popular with the average American consumer, automation and fool-proof operation will increase in appeal. Although cartridge systems should contribute to the increase in popularity of tape, we don't believe they will be the most important factor.

Snapshot photography, for example, grew from a hobby to an everday family avocation—despite the fact that the camera user had to move the empty spool from one side of the camera to the other and thread the film by hand. Only this year Kodak introduced its simplified automatic cartridge-loading snapshot film. On a smaller

SHACK BURSTS WALLS:

Leased Depts. & Racks Add to Portnoy Empire

By REN GREVATT

NEW YORK-The names of Eddie Portnoy and his wellknown 125th Street store known as Record Shack are familiar ones among the jazz and blues cognoscenti here. What's less familiar is the changing face of Record Shack, which ceased being a single retail outlet five years ago, and has since built up its annual volume from \$350,000 to \$2,500,000 a year through a series of leased departments, additional owned stores and a one-stop and rack operation. The firm as presently constituted might well prove a model of expansion and diversification for the well-financed indie dealer in many territories.

The new headquarters for Record Shack on upper Second Avenue here has just been opened and a glimpse of the operation last week indicated the most modern kind of warehousing setup already in full sway despite obvious growing pains occasioned by the move. A depth supply of albums has been laid in, a semi-automatic poly-bagging machine has been added, and the "house" carpenter, who turns out many types of custommade display rack and browser installations for the firm's various retail outlets, has put together a huge stocking bin up front for storage of an endless number of current and oldie pop singles.

Singles Are Vital

Singles, both old and new, Portnoy feels, are a vital part of the business. "Singles are an attraction to any record store and they must be stocked in depth," he said last week. "And it's of great importance to have not only the 'Hot 100' but the oldies. The oldies can account for anywhere from one-third to 40 per cent of the total singles business."

Despite the healthy expansion of Record Shack, Portnoy still thinks basically in "mom and pop store" terms and only champions this form of retailing. "I don't agree with the philosophy that they've had it," he said. "I think much of the future of our business lies in their hands, and they can make it even in the face of the competition.

"To be successful, the 'moms and pops' should stock singles in depth, have full line and catalog LP spread and should make it a point to know their product. Then, they should also pay close attention to the ethnic nature of their neighborhood in terms of catering to the specialty needs of those customers. It's, in a way, a captive audience and they can make money servicing that audience. I feel the indie 'mom and pop stores' are so important for catalog purposes, that every manufacturer should help and encourage them in any way possible.

"The difference between a 'mom and pop store' and a rack outlet," Portnoy continued, "is that the average rack may catch the impulse buyer but it does not and cannot, by its nature, build any kind of steady trade.

"Then you have the leased department set-up. This can be either very much like a rack, in which it sells on the basis of

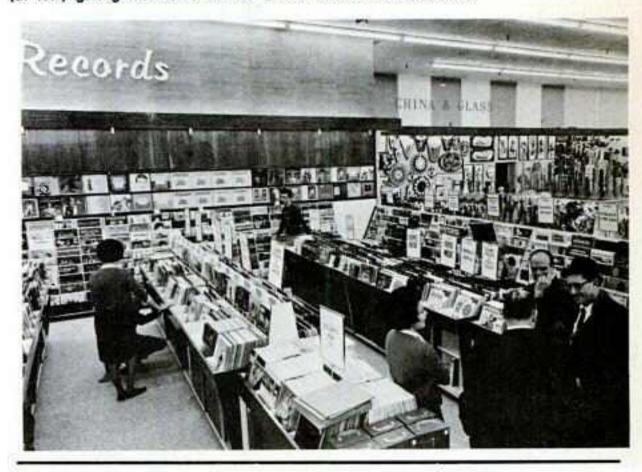
existing traffic generated by the nature of its location, or it can be a traffic builder in and of itself," he continued.

"Our own thinking is that the leased department, properly run, (Continued on page 54)

Record Shack's New Outlet



Record Shack, Inc., expanding leased department, rack and one-stop operator, opened a new department last week at Floyd's Discount Center, Central Park Avenue, Yonkers, N. Y. Shown are two views of the store. Top photo shows depth of product stocked, along with attractive rack liabilities and carrying cases in foreground. At right are various tradesters who turned out for the opening, including Atlantic's Bob Altshuler (with quizzical face-cupped-in-hand look). Bottom shows another group of visitors, standing by the separate check-out area for the department, which, according to Record Shack head Ed Portnoy, is an important facet of the leased department. Altshuler is again shown here (at left) giving his views on the record scene to a customer.



3-M Revere Tapes Now Fair Traded

ST. PAUL—The 3-M Revere tape cartridge line, which now includes four separate versions of the basic unit, and which is getting the benefit of a major consumer advertising campaign this fall, will henceforth be fair-traded.

According to an announcement from headquarters here, the company has requested all its recorder and cartridge dealers to sign a fair trade contract "which obligates them to sell the listed recorders at not less than the specified prices." The agreements are being sought only in those States where they are legal, the firm said.

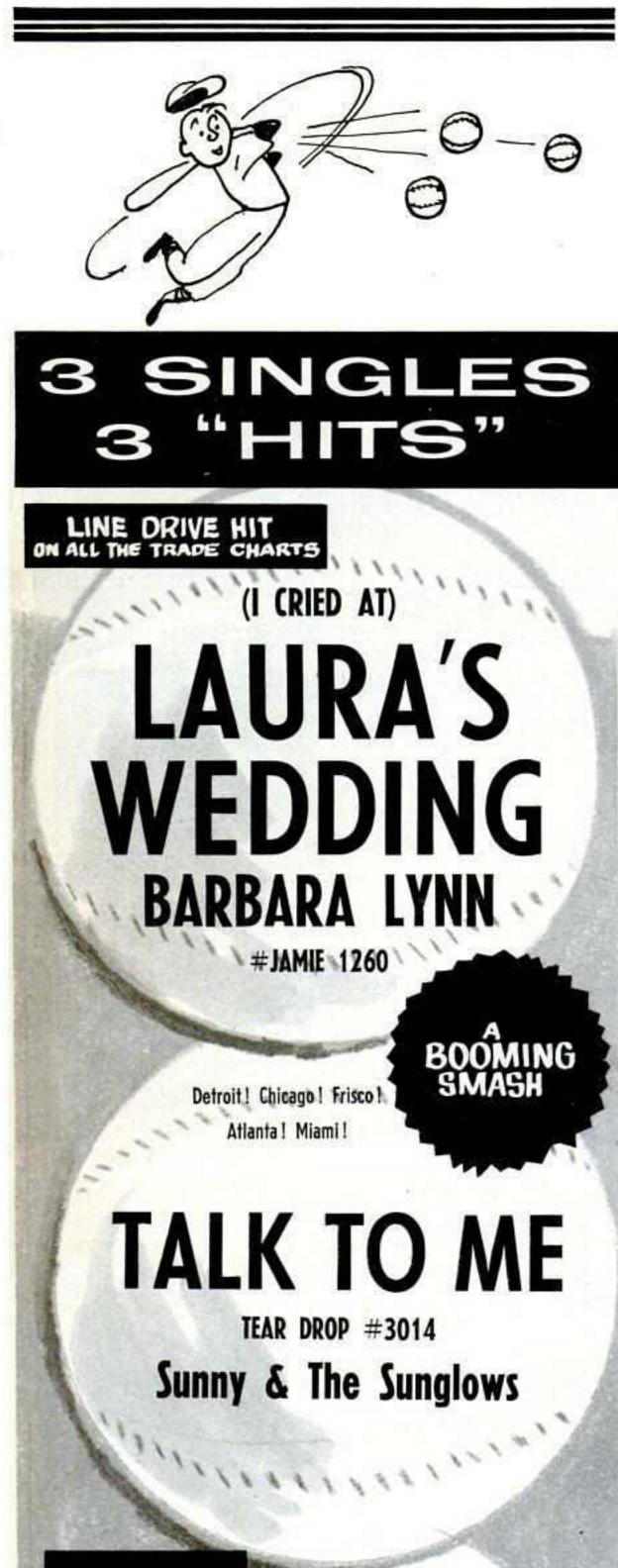
A statement asserted: "In order to protect the integrity and high regard for our trademarks and brand names, we believe it is desirable to avail ourselves of the benefits of the acts of Congress and of many States commonly referred to as Fair Trade Acts."

The previously announced national ad campaign will start in mid-October and will be geared to middle and upper income groups, with color and black and white ads planned in Life, Sports Illustrated, the New Yorker and Sunset, according to Robert E. Culligan, sales promotion manager for 3-M's Revere-Wollensak division. Local newspaper advertising in such major markets as New York, Chicago and Los Angeles is also planned.

scale, the popularity of home movies has in no way been dependent on the self-threading projector.

In addition to substantial reductions in tape costs, there are several other areas in which tape recorders could be made more appealing to the average American consumer. Among the improvements which occur to us are these: (1) A "locator" feature, which can almost instantaneously reel the tape to any pre-indexed selection, possibly operating like the tabular key on a typewriter. (2) Complete elimination or substantial speeding-up of rewinding. (3) A simple, low-cost, built-in timer for recording from the radio or television when nobody's home. (4) Easy-to-use accessories for automatic telephone and doorbell answering.

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AMPEX MODEL F-4460, one of four variations of the firm's new F-44 series. Above portable recorder-playback may be removed from the luggage case for use in custom installations. Price is \$595.

REDWOOD CITY, Calif.— Ampex Corporation has announced the new F-44 series of four-track stereo recorder-playback units, to replace the 1200 series, which has been in existence since 1961.

There are four variations of the basic F-44 unit, including: model F-4450, unmounted for custom installations or in an optional walnut cabinet (at \$549.50 and \$579.45 with walnut base); model F-4452, unmounted for use in component systems (at \$549.50); model F-4460, a portable for on-thespot stereo recording (at \$595) and model F-4470, for on-thespot recording, monitoring and playback. Another new item is model 2044, a portable, selfcontained single channel amplifier and speaker system, for use with the F-44 recorder series, with AM-FM tuners, or as a portable PA system. (\$179.50).

New features of the F-44 series include new hysteresissynchronous motor; separate record level meters, sound-onsound recording, self shut-off device and narrower channel widths and metal shielding to eliminate cross-talk.

Roberts Selects St. Louis as New Tape Test Area

ST. LOUIS — Roberts Electronics has selected this city as its initial test marketing site for its new Crossfield Model 770 tape recorder, recently shown at the Music Show in Chicago. The Crossfield unit incorporates a new development which, the company says, makes possible high fidelity tape playback at a speed of 1% i.p.s.

Edward O. Praeger, vice-president of Roberts and sales manager Albert Barsimanto, addressed a dealer meeting here Friday (16) at the Salem House Restaurant, to kick off the local in-depth campaign, which will be handled by Carmine Vignola, regional sales chief.

Extensive consumer promotion starts September 15, interestingly enough, in the same market selected last year for initial test marketing of the 3-M Revere cartridge tape player. According to Roberts, the unit has been scheduled for St. Louis introduction "to demonstrate the superiority and versatility of a reel-to-reel machine over other tape recording devices."

BEST SELLING

PHONOGRAPHS, RADIOS & TAPE RECORDERS

These are the nation's best sellers by manufacturers based on results of a monthlong study using personal interviews with a representative national cross-section of record-selling outlets (only) that also sell phonographs, radios and/or tape recorders. A different price group is published in the space each week. Each category appears approximately every 14 weeks.

The percentage figure shown for each brand is its share of the total number of weighted points derived from all dealer responses. Pemt tabulations are based on the rank order of manufacturers' sales at each dealer, and weighted by size of outlet. Only manufacturers earning 3 per cent or more of the total dealer points are listed below.

PHONOS LISTING BETWEEN \$151 and \$200

	POSITION		
This Issue	5/25/63 Issue	2/23/63 Issue	BRAND % OF TOTAL POINTS
1	1	1	Magnavox 34.3
2	5	3	Zenith 9.3
2	242	9	Masterwork 9.3
4	8	-	General Electric 8.4
5	2	7	RCA Victor 5.1
6	3	_	Curtis-Mathis 4.7
6	7	-	K.L.H 4.7
8	56		Delmonico 3.7
9	-	2	Voice of Music (V-M) 3.5
			Others 17.0

Since this chart is based on the previous month's sales, it is conceivable that certain brands will appear at one time and not at another because of many influencing factors. Thus it does not indicate that the above ranking applies for any period other than the previous month. Those brands that appeared in previous issues for this category and do not happen to merit a listing above are shown below with their rank order in the issue indicated in parenthesis.

5/25/63 Issue: Webcor (4); Philco (6); Motorola (9).
2/23/63 Issue: Phonola (4); Motorola (5); Symphonic (6);
Webcor (7); Admiral (9).

Leased Depts. & Racks Add to Portnoy Empire

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with its own clerks, its own check-outs and merchandise that it owns itself, is the ideal, because it comes closest to the indie store concept. We feel that any rack doing at least \$50,000 a year in gross volume should be a leased department. If it can account for an average of \$1,000 a week in sales, with all the inherent disadvantages of the rack type of operation, this figure can be doubled by turning it into a leased department or a concession set-up. Then, too, a leased department has another advantage in that if the store where it's located should get into financial trouble, the record department, with its own register and check-out is independent of the rest of the store and not subject to the freezing of funds which goes with going under."

With respect to budget merchandise, Portnoy feels this has no place in the smaller indie store. "It does have a place in the larger leased department, with, say, a minimum of 1,000 square feet of space," he asserted. "Up to 10 per cent of the space can be devoted to budget product. The merchandising is different, however, in that you're selling pictures on the cover and titles of material rather than artists or hits. The product has to be moved around frequently from one location to another, so there's always something fresh to catch the eye," he concluded.

While Portnoy admits that discounters have helped stimulate buyers, he feels that those whose existence does not depend on records have helped to destroy the value concept of records. He says, "I think it is wrong for records to be sold below their wholesale cost just to get traffic into a department

store kind of operation. The price spread should never be allowed to get out of hand and if the proposed Quality Stabilization bill now before Congress can help, I'm for it. I'm in favor of promotional selling and merchandising and sensible discounting by people who make their living on records, but I'm opposed to it by those for whom records are just a come-on for other merchandise," he said.

The Record Shack operation now has the disk concession in six Floyd Bennett shopping center areas in Long Island and Westchester County. There are also five owned stores, and approximately 30 rack outlets on the drawing boards. Expansion plans call for opening additional locations in areas further distant from the city. Portnoy, by the way, has from time to time been identified as a producer of disks and he has recently activated the Porwin label, which right now he has a single out by the Clovers. With the glow of a man who really loves the record business, he played for a reporter a new teen-styled instrumental single. "It's not out yet but I think it'll be a smash," he said.



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Dist. Assn. to Hold Open House, Elect Officers During MOA

CHICAGO — The National Coin Machine Distributors Association will hold a membership meeting followed by an open-house session for all distributors, September 6, the last day of the Music Operators of America convention at the Morrison Hotel here.

The group is also slated to hold a meeting of officers and

Bally Releases Three-in-Line

CHICAGO—"A flipper-type novelty game with in-line play appeal" was the way Bill O'Donnell, Bally president, described "Three-In-Line," the firm's new four-player pinball game.

Three-In-Line can be adjusted for three or five ball play. Specials are also available. Lighting three spots in line rings up an "out hole" bonus. Lighting all nine spots also scores extra games.

O'Donnell said that U. S. and European tests proved that the game was the strongest profit producer in the novelty class that the industry had seen in years.

PHILLY OPS ALL THE WAY ON MOA MEET

PHILADELPHIA — Operators here are going all out to assure top attendance for Music Operators of America's September 4-6 convention in Chicago's Morrison Hotel. A special mailing urging attendance and outlining the special forums and speakers was sent out last week by Joseph Silverman, an official of the Philadelphia association, and chairman of MOA's forum committee. Silverman calls particular attention to the MOA convention forum for association personnel, Thursday, September 5, at 2:30 p.m.

directors Saturday, September 7, the day following. Presiding will be the association's new officers and directors, who will be elected by mail within the next few weeks.

The initial membership meeting will be held Friday (6) morning with the open house session scheduled for the afternoon. Discussion at the open house session will center around current distribution and wholesaling problems.

The membership is also ex-

pected to approve a series of by-law changes which have been submitted to them by mail. NCMDA's current slate of officers includes: W. S. (Sy) Redd, Brighton, Mass., president; Irvin F. Blumenfeld, Baltimore, executive vice-president; Lou Wolcher, San Francisco, vice-president; Ron Rood, Orlando, Fla., vice-president; Jack Bess, Richmond, Va., secretary; and Joe Kline, Chicago, treasurer. O. L. (Bob) Slifer is executive director of the group.

Trade Lauds VDAI for Position on Tariff Hikes

By OMER ANDERSON

BRUSSELS — The statement by Verband der Deutschen Automatenindustrie E.V. (VDAI) opposing tariff hikes (published in the August 10 issue of Billboard) has had strong impact on the European trade.

A Common Market official called the VDAI statement "a real act of courage and dedication in the light of the tremendous emotions aroused by the dispute over tariffs on farm products."

Trade Impressed

Perhaps even more impressed is the European coin machine trade generally. Belgium is not only host to the European Common Market but also the crossroads of the trans-Atlantic coin machine industry. It is, therefore, dedicated to free trade.

The European trade is focusing particularly on this section of the VDAI statement: "In the entire German coin machine industry, there is not the slightest resentment against American imports.

"On the contrary, all West

German coin machine firms manufacturers, importers and wholesalers-desire a close twoway co-operation between West Germany and the United States, co-operation which can only be beneficial to both partners."

VDAI declared, furthermore, in the statement published in the August 10 issue of Billboard "In the sense of close human and economic contacts between the U. S. and West Germany, West German coin machine firms do condemn any unilateral measures against trade relations between the two countries and do desire, on the contrary, the keeping of these ties."

Tariff experts here are speculating that Bonn may be able to make valuable use of the VDAI statement to rebut Washington's charges of German trade discrimination. The VDAI statement is judged by the experts here to be "remarkable, if not unique," for the explicitness of its language in rejecting all trade barriers and advocating free

Common Market tariff tech-(Continued on page 64)

Coin Machine

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COIN SHORTAGE TERMED CRITICAL TO INDUSTRY

CHICAGO—Bob Slifer, executive director of the National Coin Machine Distributors Association, this week called on representatives of the Music Operators of America, National Automatic Merchandising Association, National Vendors Association and other trade groups together with trade papers to meet and discuss the coin shortage.

Slifer feels that the current coin shortage is one of the most critical in our history and that unless additional mint facilities are built, the situation will not improve.

He cited a recent letter to NCMDA from F. W. Tate, acting director of the Bureau of the Mint. Tate said in part:

"This much is certain—it takes coins to operate all vending

and coin machines. If the industry itself is going to survive in the next few years until additional mint facilities are built, a continuing campaign and orderly program for more frequent emptying of coin containers in all coin machines could have a significant, helpful effect.

"How this can be achieved is as challenging a question to us at the mint as I am sure it must be to your association. The solution possibly lies in having an organization, such as your own, do a sales job of encouraging the coin machine community to work through their own banking system at local State and federal levels."

Tate said that the American Bankers Association is encouraging coin machine operators to make more frequent collections.

Slifer is attempting to organize an all-industry committee to push for the needed additional mint facilities. He wants to hear from local associations and individual operators.

Kansas Ruling Bars Payoffs

TOPEKA, Kan. - For the first time in Kansas, certain pinball machines were ruled gambling devices and therefore illegal in a decision handed down here. The ruling applied only to pinball machines in which there was evidence players were paid for games won. It has no effect on machines used for amusement only.

The judge was Marion Beatty, second division, Shawnee County District Court. The case was centered upon seven bingo-type pinball machines seized last fall in six taverns and one bowling alley.

Petition Court

Earlier this year the county attorney, Robert M. Brown, and the sheriff, Vernon Robinson, petitioned the court to declare them gambling devices and order them destroyed.

The court did both.

Judge Beatty, in his ruling,

"The statute (Section 21-915 G.S. 1949) bans certain kinds of gambling devices known in Blackstone's time (Blackstone was the most famous of English jurists), but unknown to the present generation including 'ABC, Faro Bank, EO, Equity, Keno and Wheel of Fortune,' but also includes 'gambling table or gambling device adapted, devised and designed for the purpose of playing any game of chance for money or property.'

"These pinball machines have been declared illegal under similar statutes in some other States even in the absence of evidence of payoff; however, they have not been heretofore so held in Kansas (see 89 ALR Section 815).

Federal Stamp

"In the cases at hand there was evidence that the proprietors in all cases paid off the free games in money and each proprietor involved possessed a federal gambling stamp.

"The machines are so manufactured and equipped that payoff in money in lieu of games is most convenient. These machines include devices for increasing the winning odds for additional coins inserted.

"This is some further evidence that they are adapted, devised and designed for payoff by the proprietor for patrons seldom have time to play off a large number of games. For example, one of the policemen investigating the machines won 96 free games, enough free games to keep him busy approximately five hours. In lieu thereof he was paid off \$4.80.

"All these facts combined require a finding that the machines are 'adapted, devised and designed' for playing a game of chance for money or property.

"Persons playing these machines know these facts and it is not necessary for judges to be less informed than the public generally. Common knowledge and common sense is an important factor in the law and when applied here leads to (the) conclusion that these machines are gambling devices and are subject to destruction . . ."

Court Costs Court costs were taxed to Melody Music Company, 415 Kansas, Topeka, owner of five of the machines. Owner of the other two did not appear in court.

Melody Music was represented (Continued on page 65)



JOE BARTON (right) accepts Rowe AC Services' top distributor award for Bush International, Miami, from Jack Dunwoody, Southeastern regional vice-president, and George Klersey (far left), Eastern region phonograph sales manager. Bush took first place in Rowe AC's accelerated sales contest in region three. In receiving the trophy, Barton said: "A salesman can be no stronger than the organization that he has behind him. This award is the direct result of all the people in our organization giving their utmost to make our customers happy with our products."

Western Distributors See New Rock-Ola Phono Line

SAN FRANCISCO - Rock-Ola distributors from the Western States met here at the Mark Hopkins Hotel for the showing of 1964 line which included the Rhapsody II and Capri II phonographs and Caravelle cigaret vendor.

The showing was the third with the first two being held in New York and New Orleans. A similiar showing is slated for Chicago.

The show was conducted by E. G. Doris, Rock-Ola executive vice-president, wth Lester Rieck, sales manager; Hugh Gorman, sales co-ordinator; George Hincker, advertising director, and Jack Barabash, service engineer, on hand for the event.

The session opened with a coffee hour in the Empire Room with Doris outlining the meeting and later unveiling the phonographs and cigaret machines. Hincker talked on the advertising program and Rieck outlined plans for the introduction of the machines to the

trade at the forenoon session. Following a coffee break. Sam Abbott of the Billboard Hollywood office, led the discussion on the Music Operators Stereo Service in which Rock-Ola is participating. Barabash

Lunch was held in the adjoining Argonaut Room and followed by individual conferences with distributors. A cock-

tail hour preceded a dinner in the main dining room. Among those attending were

spoke on servicing.

Budge and John Wright, Western Distributors, Portland, Ore.; W. R. Patton Sr., and W. R. (Bud) Patton Jr., Patton Music, Modesto, Calif.; Paul A. Laymon, Los Angeles; Ben Murillo, Overland Music, Oakland; Virgil Kirby, Tucson; Harry Brinck, Butte and Michael Stanley, Seattle. Also present was Jack Harrington, Seattle, with Michael Stanley, Mrs. Donald Madden, Eureka, Calif., Mrs. Paul Laymon and Mrs. Edward Burke, Sunnyvale, also attended.

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SEEBURG ARTIST OF THE WEEK

MARTY ROBBINS—Devil Woman

Columbia (Country Vocal)

All titles listed are custom 33½ stereo singles packaged for the juke box operator. Other packagers or record companies may get weekly listings of their product by sending releases to Juke Box Reviews, Billboard, 1564 Broadway, New York, N. Y. 10036.

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RSI . CATERINA VALENTE . STEREO

SUMMERTIME LOVE

From London Album "Strictly U.S.A."

ALLEY CAT

RSI . DAVID CARROLL AND HIS ORK . STEREO

FLY ME TO THE MOON

From Mercury Album "Today's Top Hits"



JUKE BOX PROGRAMMING



ITALIAN OPS TO AUDITION DISKS

ROME—The DisCorriere, a new semi-monthly record publication directed toward juke-box operators, is now organizing Juke Box Clubs in various centers of the country where operators will be able to hear new records before their release. Choice of records and their presentations will be left to the record companies. One such club is planned for each provincial capital of the country. The publication is a controlled circulation paper distributed without charge to all juke box operators.

Arnold, Boorstein, Ptacek on MOA Programming Panel

CHICAGO — Eddy Arnold, popular Country and Western recording artist, will headline a panel of music experts slated to discuss juke box programming at Music Operators of America's September 4-6 convention at the Morrison Hotel here.

Other panelists include Lou Boorstein, Leslie Distributors, New York, one of the nation's largest one stop operators, and A. L. Ptacek Jr., Bird Music Company, Manhattan, Kans., well-known juke box operator and a veteran of MOA.

Arnold has reportedly sold

Stereo Single, Little LP Draw Interest

NEW YORK — Bernie Boorstein, sales manager of Leslie Distributors, local one-stop, reports that the last two weeks have seen a heightened interest on the part of music machine operators for stereo single and little LP product.

According to Boorstein, the only limiting factor in the sales of 33 product is the fact that most machines in the area are capable of playing 45 only.

Boorstein said that in the rare instances when a single is available on both 45 and 33, the operator will invariably select the 45 because he can use it on any machine on his route.

Operators, Boorstein explained, are buying programming, not speeds. Even stereo, he added, is secondary to the artist and tune.

Prime reason for the heavy buying of 33 stereos, Boorstein explained, is that adult programming not normally available on the 45 monaural single is programmed.

3 Tenn. Distribs To Participate in Stereo Program

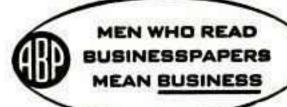
MEMPHIS—Three Memphis distributors will participate in the Music Operators Singles Service (MOSS) program to distribute to operators 33 singles not obtainable through record shops.

They are:

Southern Amusement Distributing Company, AMI distributor. General Manager is Charles V. McDowell.

S & M Sales Company, Inc., Rock-Ola distributor. General manager is Alan Dixon.

Or-Matt Amusement Company, Wurlitzer distributor in West Tennessee. Edward H. Newell is owner. Newell is a district agent for Standard Automatic Music Company of Little Rock, which has the Mid-South territory.



over 37,000,000 records since he began recording for RCA Victor in 1945. His all-time best sellers include "That's How Much I Love You," "Anytime," "Bouquet of Roses" and his theme song, "Cattle Call."

Besides recording, Arnold appears regularly on television shows and in clubs. He has recently appeared on the "Du Pont," "Perry Como" and "Tonight" shows, and once starred in his own television show which was syndicated to 200 U. S. and Canadian stations.

Recent club appearances include the new Copa in Atlanta and the Continental in Houston. Arnold is also an active businessman and a community leader in his Nashville home.



EDDY ARNOLD

Tenn. Ops Dig Rich, Wood

MEMPHIS — Two singles just released are getting top action from operators in Memphis and the Mid-South.

They are: "She Loved Every-

body But Me," with Charlie Rich on Groove, and "Do Darlin," with Bobby Wood on the Joy label. Wood, who left recently for six months in the Army, has the best of several singles in this one, according to Frank Berretta, manager of Poplar Tunes Record Shop, a one-stop.

Rich and Wood have in com-

mon that they are both from the Mid-South (Rich from Benton, Ark., Wood from New Albany, Miss.) and both got their start in Memphis; and both are pianists, composers and singers.

Berretta said the two disks, both released August 5, are breaking fast. The operators interviewed, Edward H. Newell, Drew J. Canale, Parker Henderson, Jack Embry, all said the two singles were the best new ones they had put on their boxes last week.

DOUBLE-PLAY DISKS

Iwo-sided action may be expected from the following records. For the juke box operator limited to from 100 to 200 sides per machine, they represent maximum programming effectiveness. Records listed below have both sides either on the Hot 100 or have recently been on the Hot 100. See Spotlight Reviews for additional information on double-play disks.

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4 SEASONS, VEE JAY 539

MARLENA

WIPE OUT

SURFARIS, DOT 16479

SURFER JOE

SURFER GIRL

BEACH BOYS, CAPITOL 5009

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MY WHOLE WORLD IS FALLING DOWN

BRENDA LEE, DECCA 31510

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MORE

SOMETHING OLD, SOMETHING NEW

PAUL & PAULA, PHILIPS 40130

FLIPPED OVER YOU

WHEN I'M WALKIN' (Let Me Walk)

FATS DOMINO, ABC-PARAMOUNT 10475

I'VE GOT A RIGHT TO CRY

EUROPEAN NEWS BRIEFS

Kaestner Re-Elected

HAMBURG — Heinz Kaestner of Kassel has been re-elected president of the German Coin Machine Wholesalers' Association (DAGV), along with other members of his staff.

Distributors report that business is holding up well, despite the tapering of the German coin machine boom. However, the DAGV is warning members that the cost-price squeeze is increasing and that profit margins have been sliced razor-thin.

There is considerable apprehension in the trade, moreover, as to the effect of the prospective added-value tax, for which a draft bill is now before the German Parliament.

German Payouts

BONN — West Germany is marking a decade of payout machine operation. Parliament approved the legislation for the so-called Groschenspiel on August 18, 1953, and the payout law since has come to be acclaimed as a model for the world trade.

Maximum play is restricted to one Deutschemark or 25 cents, but most machines are set for 10-pfennig coins. In contrast to the attitude of operators in other countries, German phonograph operators in the majority favor payouts, and many, if not a majority, operate payouts as well as phonographs.

Unlike British operators, the Germans find no contradiction

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between payout and phonograph operation. The majority argue, on the contrary, that payout operation strengthens the operator's financial base and, in effect, makes him more effective in phonograph operation.

Cinebox Support

ROME—European trade representatives are studying the almost unprecedented support being given Cinebox, the Italian film phonograph, by Italy's tobacco monopoly.

The tobacco monopoly has sold advertising rights on cigaret packs to Cinebox, the first time a phonograph has landed on a tobacco wrapper.

Every Italian cigaret package now plugs Cinebox, and play has spurted appreciably across Italy in the wake of the new advertising campaign. The advertising has proved of enormous val-(Continued on page 65)

Williams' Unit **Drop Targets** Earn a Bonus



EL TORO

CHICAGO — El Toro, Williams' new two-player pinball game, features a pair of drop targets that score 10 times the real value when lighted. Players can also earn extra balls.

The drop targets are raised by three top rollovers-each of which scores 50 points when hit. Two additional targets score 10 points and light yellow and green jet pumpers for 10 points and target for extra balls.

El Toro also has a match feature and such items as: two rebound kickers, plastikote finish playfield, locked cash box, slug rejector and twin chutes.

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Rainbow	Handicap 125	Duchess 575
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CHICAGO — A bill termed the "vending industry's most dangerous legislative threat" by the National Automatic Merchandising Association, was defeated in Pennsylvania last week. According to Thomas B. Hun-

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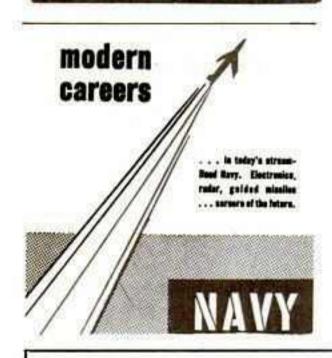
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gerford, NAMA executive director, the bill (H.B. 1593) which passed the Pennsylvania House July 26 "would have been the first step toward vending's complete destruction in that State with ominous overtones in other States."

Killed by the Senate Rules Committee last week, the bill would have set a \$50 annual tax on all coin-operated machines selling more than 5-cent items in first-class school districts.

Major Cities

A first class school district in Pennsylvania has 1,500,000 or more population. Hungerford said that the vending industry in such major cities as Pittsburgh and Philadelphia would have been wiped out over night.

He explained that H.B. 1593, introduced July 2 in the Penn-

sylvania House, was meant to

raise funds for schools, but was

considered dead by vending industry observers.

However, three weeks later, the bill was revived with "unprecedented speed," passed by the House in a single day without a hearing and was sent to the Senate, said Hungerford.

Quick Action He noted that NAMA and the Pennsylvania Automatic Merchandising Council (NAMA affiliate) organized a program in less than 48 hours, "that turned what appeared to be serious defeat into a solid vic-

"Without the facilities and 27-year know-how of NAMA and on-spot work of PAMC, the outcome might have been vastly different," said Hunger-

A DISPLAY CARD used in the new Victor Vending Corporation quarter capsule vender is examined by Logan Distributing Company president, Jack Nelson (right), and Billboard's Nick Biro. Typical merchandise available in the quarter capsules includes scatter pins, bracelets, necklaces, cigaret lighters, cuff links, tie-bars, rings and money clips. The artificial flower held by Biro is a hot capsule item.

S. L. London Holds School On Seeburg Coffee Unit

MILWAUKEE — Operators from all parts of Wisconsin attended the recent Seeburg service school at the S. L. London Vending Company here. The session was devoted to Seeburg's Bally coffee machine.

Seeburg factory vending sales engineers, Freeman Woodhall, Emmet Engels and Fred Gato were in charge of the session. Also on hand was Robert Dunlap, Seeburg district vice-president.

Attending were: Gary Nehring, Clem Jones and Fay Jones, Zaug's Vending, Appleton; Dick Pavlic and Victor C. Pavlic, Pavlic Vending Service, Brookfield; Al Moselle, Al Moselle Wholesale Distributors, Germantown; Bob Arnold, Dick Heck, Ronald DeWitt and William Bulters, Owen Vending, Janesville; George Moore, Cup Vendors, Inc., Janesville; Russell Vincent and Kenneth L. Zeutzues, Konop Vending, Green Bay; H. E. Sprain, William Riordan and Frank Bina, Bina Candy

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From Milwaukee were: Edward F. Schmidt, Elsie Pfizenmaier, Philip J. Lecus, E. Quiroz, Gerald Lind and Pete Kuhn, Geiger Automatic Sales; Al Haskell, Sweetheart Cup Corporation; Jerome Zarzynski, Lee Bertram, Ed Billyard, Paul Di-Salvo and Stanley Kass, Skylark Vending; Jack Spear and Erwin Samp, Samp Automatic Sales; Harvey Matt and Dennis Matt, Audey-Matt Vending; James Thompson; Dan Karolzak, Dan Dee Vending; Gordon Lewandowski, G. L. Vending; Mike Jelak and Charles Rogutich, 20th Century Vending; W. Pries, Pries Beverage Vendors; Heinz Weber, Stacy Ven-Drink; Ben N. Santoro; Gerald Vinduhoif, Ronald Ehliti, John Maly, Marvin Buxaud and Ronald H. Adler, Refreshment Service; Paul Fundrick, AMC; Clarence Wessinger, Mark Spencer, Dick Julien and Randall Wittig, Automatic Merchandising Corpora-

N. Y. Bulk Operators Move To Police Vending Trade

NEW YORK-Increased efforts will be made by the New York Bulk Vendors Association to police the industry in the metropolitan area and to discourage blue-sky operations and unethical practices.

NYBVA members met at the Fraternal Club House here Monday night (12) to discuss current

problems.

Sid Mollengarten said that a few operators were using 10cent charm items in their display cases, but stocking the machine with 5-cent capsules.

He said that though only a handful are guilty of this practice, the entire operating industry will bear the blame in the event of a crackdown.

Oddly enough, these deceptive practices don't create more revenue for the operator, according to Roger Folz, NYBVA president. Folz pointed out that children are extremely shrewd buyers and it is almost impossible to fool them more than once.

Mollengarten added that the machines which carry 10-cent items on the display card and vend 5-cent items generally don't empty very fast and the operator would make more money if he offered an honest value.

tion; Clarence Riesmeyer, Russell Vending; Arthur Wisth, Wisth Vending Company; Peter Pitch, Pitch Specialty Company; Tom Cocking and Florian Nowak, Automagic Vendors.

Regarding the mixing of a few dime items in a nickel capsule mix, Moe Mandell reminded the operators that charm items must be of equal value.

Aaron Sternfield, Billboard coin machine editor, spoke briefly on blue-sky promotions. He told operators to notify newspapers in which advertisements of this type appear and inform the advertising managers about misrepresentations.





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BOB GUGGENHEIM (necktie and glasses) and Mrs. Guggenheim enjoy a dinner with Hong Kong suppliers. The New York charm manufacturer visited Japan, Hong Kong and Taiwan for new charm items. He farmed out 10 items for manufacture and an importing another 10 items for capsule vending. The dinner scene above took place on a barge in Hong Kong's harbor. The

Atlas Names Joe Klykun



JOSEPH KLYKUN

CHICAGO—Joseph Klykun, a 12-year vending machine veteran, has been named sales manager of Atlas Music Company's vending division here. Klykun has a sales and engineering background and was sales engineer for the former ABT Manufacturing Company. Most recently he was regional sales manager for Rowe AC Services' bill changer division.

Atlas was recently repurchased from Rowe AC Services by its former owner, Eddie Ginsburg, and continues to handle the full Rowe AC juke box, background music and vending

Klykun said that Atlas is planning a number of vending schools for operators in the immediate future. He invited operators to join him at the Rowe AC booth during the forthcoming National Automatic Merchandising Association convention here.

NYBVA Members

NEW YORK - Stan Goldstein and Cy Hecht were voted into membership of the New York Bulk Vendors Association here Monday (12).

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EASTERN DISTRIBUTORS, INC.'S Coffee vending seminar held recently in Philadelphia, showing some of the 60 owners and managers of 26 Seeburg vending operations in the Pennsylvania-Delaware-New Jersey area. Charles J. Grebinger, assistant field research director for the Coffee Brewing Institute, conducted the session.

NVA Counsel Blasts Blue Sky Operations

By NICK BIRO

CHICAGO — Don Mitchell, National Vendors Association legal counsel, issued a strong blast last week against blue sky operations, urging members of his group to "help the industry police itself against these injustices."

Mitchell's warning followed disclosure in Billboard (August 17) that the name of Nick Kenny, popular Broadway columnist, and the Asthmatic Children's Foundation, a respected philanthropic group, were used to promote a blue sky vending venture in New York.

Mitchell said that NVA had long worked with Better Business Bureaus and other civic groups to prevent the spread of this sort of practice.

Not Legitimate Members

He noted it was the sort of thing that could give people the wrong idea about the bulk vending business despite the fact that the blue sky promoters were not legitimate bulk industry mem-

Mitchell said that if operators who enter the bulk vending business were to join NVA immediately, this sort of thing could be prevented.

The NVA legal counsel said that neither he nor NVA were previously aware of the "New York situation," but that he was not unfamiliar with what had happened.

He emphasized, however, that the people involved were not NVA members and that the bulk vending industry should not be held responsible for the actions of a few "fast-buck promoters."

The New York situation referred to by Mitchell involved Hygienic Vendors of Long Island City, which had been advertising in New York newspapers to put investors in the vending business.

Several local operators who checked out the ads found that the firm was offering to sell a

four-unit Beaver installation, on location, for \$250. Market price for the equipment is around \$100.

In getting the locations, Hygienic told management that 10 per cent of the profits went to the Asthmatic Children's Foundation and threw in Nick Kenny's name to make the deal more binding.

Kenny and an associate told Billboard they had agreed to the use of the name because they felt the charitable contribution would do much to help asthmatic children, but the associate noted he had since had second thoughts about the arrangement.

Mitchell urged operators throughout the country to help NVA police this sort of practice by continually checking local papers and reporting any irregularities to the association.

He said NVA would take prompt action against any blue sky operations.

No. England Counties Go For Cinebox

LONDON-Cinebox, Italian cinema-juke box, is catching on in the British northern counties. This is reported by Filmbox Equipment Ltd., sole United Kingdom distributor of the unit.

A Cinebox unit recently installed in the King's Head Hotel, County Durham, is collecting substantial coin, the firm reports. Other tavernkeepers, noting the interest of pub customers, have inquired about installations.

Cinebox was installed in the Italia Coffee Bar, Middlesbrough, Durham, last week. This was under 14-day trial arrangements.

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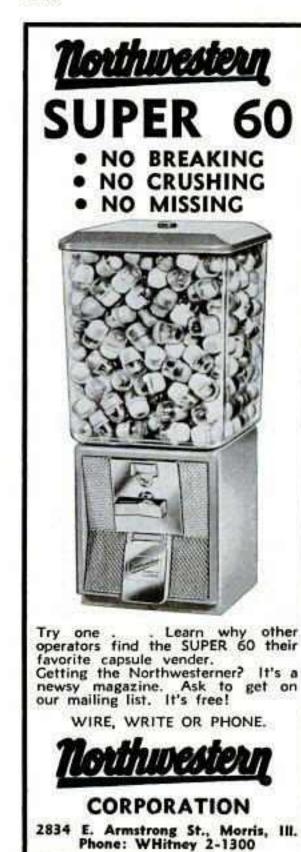
MEMPHIS — Burglars broke into Or-Matt Music Company last week, broke open a safe and escaped with \$487 in cash, owner Edward H Newell reported.

The thieves also carted off another safe, broke it open on a remote country road, but it had no money in it. Newell kept papers in it.

The burglars also stole a typewriter valued at \$100, a \$75 check-writing machine and broke open a drink machine. Newell said the safes were valued at about \$200 each.

The burglars gained entrance by breaking through a back window and steel grill, Newell said. They got into the safe by knocking off the handle and using an electric drill.

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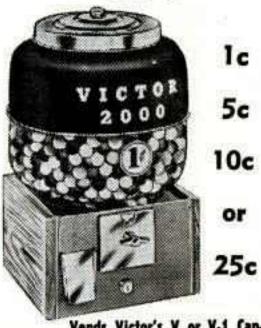
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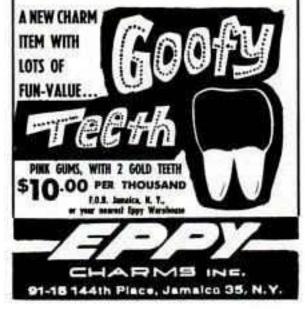
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Net earnings for the quarter were \$4,960 on \$6,547,899 equal to 1 cent per share on 897,128 shares of common stock, compared with a net loss of \$129,956 or 15 cents per share on 891,264 shares for the same period last year.

R. C. Rolfing, president, noted that all indications were that Wurlitzer's fall and winter business would be better than last year. He said that at the recent music industry convention in Chicago, Wurlitzer orders for pianos and organs were more than double those booked at the convention a year ago.

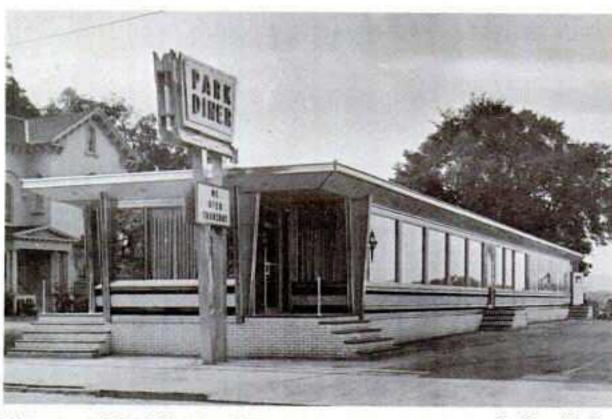
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FRANK GRECO, left, and Tom Greco, right, pose with George Zidro and George Kakoullis, owners of the Park Diner, Kingston, N. Y.



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NEW YORK—Ben Chicofsky, office manager of the Music Operators of New York, Tuesday (13) watched his niece, Susan Lynn, on the ABC television network show, "Talent Scout." Miss Lynn, a 16-year-old schoolgirl from Far Rockaway, N. Y., has already made a couple of singles on Dual Records. She sang on the television show after being introduced by Mamie Van Doren.

N.W. Ohio Ops, 26-Strong, Head For MOA Parley

CHICAGO-A delegation of 26 operators and wives will represent the Northwestern Ohio Music Operators at the annual Music Operators of America convention to be held here September 4-6.

Maynard Hopkins, president of the Ohio Association, and Bill Hullinger, secretary-treasurer will head the group. Both men are also MOA vice-presidents.

The Ohio contingent decided to come en masse following the group's annual summer outing held at the Breakers Hotel, Sandusky, Ohio, last week.

More than 50 operators and wives turned out for a day at the "Midwestern Disneyland" site. A cocktail party preceded dinner in the Anchor Room.

Hullinger noted the group was looking forward to the Chicago meeting and was particularly interested in both the MOA and following National Automatic Merchandising Association conclave.

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FACULTY FOR ROWE AC SERVICES' SCHOOL at J. H. Lynch Company, New Orleans, includes Hans Von Reydt, regional sales manager; John Hickman, John Pentacost; Jim Abato, director of service engineering; Vinnie Franchetti, Bill Dorn and Ellis Royal. The sessions, held June 24-28, were well attended by New Orleans operators.



BILL DORN, instructor at Rowe AC Services' service school held at J. H. Lynch, Inc., New Orleans, demonstrates the fine points of servicing a Rowe cold drink vender.

Report From Britain

BBC - TV demonstrated a penny-operated Edison cylinder phonograph on "Hiss Versus Hi-Fi" program, fortnight ago. ... Vending Automats, Ltd., has opened a new factory in Llandudno, Wales, and continues Coin-Amusement machine service training and trading. . . . George Coughtrey, head of the Coughtrey Automatic Supplies, Ltd., Nottingham, has extended his showrooms in that city. . . . Jim Crompton, head of Ramsgate coin-amusement factory, is in a London hospital recovering from surgery.

Peter Simper & Company, Ltd., has added eight minivans

to the firm's service fleet. . . . John Hardy, head of Bordon Motors, Hampshire, is specializing in vehicle sales and service to juke box and coin amusement operators.

Ronald Heaton, former principal of Cromford Automatic Company, Manchester, has been arrested on a warrant issued in 1960, accused of false pretenses.

... Utility gas explosion at Hastings seafront recently damaged the premises of coin amusement operator J. W. Evans, of Bexhill. London tradesters and manufacturers volunteered all assistance to help him resume business, he reports.

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COINMEN IN THE NEWS

MILWAUKEE MENTIONS

Carl Betz left his post as route foreman for P. & P. Distributing Company to join the S. L. London Disrtibuting Company. Betz was with P. & P. for seven and a half years. . . . Two new back shop men have joined the Hastings Distributing Company staff. They are Wing Schneider and trainee Tom Wiebker. . . . The

next meeting of the Milwaukee Phonograph Operators Association will be held in October, according to President Sam Has-tings. "We expect most of our members will attend the MOA convention in Chicago during September," said Hastings.

Cigaret vending sales have been booming of late, reports Doug Opitz. The reason: Newly imposed State taxes make vending prices more attractive to the consumer. . . . Charles Opitz is back in the coin machine business. He's working for his brother Doug. BENN OLLMAN





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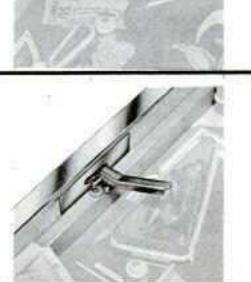
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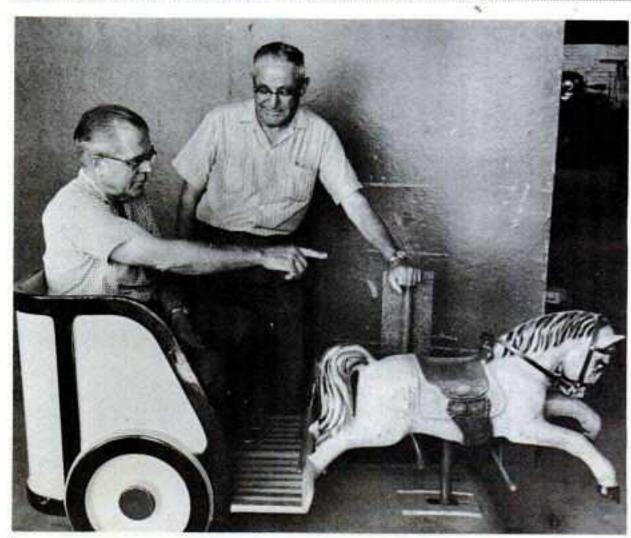


SALT LAKE CITY-It isn't unusual for a phonograph distributor to donate elderly phonographs to charitable institutions. However, when an operator does so he can depend upon plenty of favorable publicity, according to Ray Samuelson, of Ray's Music Company, Salt Lake City.

The veteran operator, with more than 35 years of phonograph and amusement experience behind him, has twice donated first-class phonographs to the local Veterans Administration Hospital, spaced about two years apart.

In each case, this public-spirited donation has brought much newspaper attention, and, of course, letters of thanks from federal executives and administrators in the hospital program.

Samuelson, who uses the slogan "Ray's Music Works" to call attention to his phonograph operations, particularly appreciates letters written to his headquarters by patients of the VA, who depend upon the free-play juke box for entertainment in their day rooms and recreation rooms during long periods of convalescence.



PAUL W. HAWKINS, kiddle ride designer and builder, points out features of a prototype of a new device to Sam Rosenthal, Phoenix, Ariz., operator, at the Hawkins shop in Tucson, Ariz.

Photo by Sam Abbott



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Trade Lauds VDAI

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nicians regard the VDAI stand as a model for Common Market industry generally. There is particular admiration among the experts for that paragraph in the statement reading, "There is no such 'monopoly position' (of U. S. equipment). German and American equipment stand in fair technical and price competition against each other, insofar as their different technical conception permits them to compete generally against each other.

"German manufacturers and importers are of the view that the German industry is thoroughly in the position to produce coin machines capable of competing against American machines. This has already been proved by the fact that there is, indeed, the export of German phonographs to the U.S."

The European trade generally regards the statement as strengthening the position of leadership assumed by the German coin machine trade on the Continent since the war.

In Milan a trade executive said, "We can only admire such a statement as an act of farsighted trade diplomacy. It will enhance the prestige and influence of the German trade on the world market, and it will help the European trade generally to build a bridge across the Atlantic and avoid the miserable recriminations of the 'chicken war.'"

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ue to operations, and is boosting

Cinebox sales accordingly. European trade observers are

studying Cinebox's tobacco pack coup from the aspect of greater industry co-operation with operators to boost their joint interests.

Austrian Bowling

VIENNA-Bowling is booming in Austria, and Australian



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phonograph distributors believe the bowler boom will help lift the entire coin machine trade from the doldrums.

One of the biggest boosters of the bowling boom is John Merrill, the Wurlitzer distributor for Austria. Merrill has the Austrian franchise for the Germanmade Vollmer bowling game.

Merrill reports that the demand for bowlers is so big in Austria that he is installing an average of 10 locations per month.

More and more Austrian locations are being equipped for bowling, and trade optimists predict that bowling centers eventually will vie with the coffee houses as leisure-time headquarters of the Viennese.

French Bow Pinball

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SKILL GAME

PARIS-The French firm of Rally S.A. is offering a new European-styled pinball, Toro.

The French game has a two-

player format, automatic counter, and a plastic housing with stainless steel. The pinball is being promoted heavily in West Germany and Italy as well as in France, where pinballs have tremendous vogue.

Rally S.A., based at Nice, is emerging as the leading French producer of games. The Riviera firm is designing a full line of new games for sale in the European Common Market.

Danish Legislation

COPENHAGEN—Denmark's trade organization, Dansk Automat Brance, is pressing a drive for uniform trade legislation, specifically with respect to licensing, taxation and royalties.

Regulation at present is in the hands of local government areas, with the result that licensing requirements and fees vary widely over different parts of the coun-

The variance in regulation and taxation has an inhibiting effect upon development of the Danish trade as a whole, according to Dansk Automat Brance.

Austrian Exports

VIENNA—The Austrian firm Automatic, producer of the new juke box Musikbar, is developing a promising export market in Eastern Europe.

Musikbar is being exported to Yugoslavia, to Hungary, to Bulgaria, and to Roumania. It is also finding favor in Greece and a few units have been sent to Turkey.

It is primarily designed for high-class restaurant placement. The cabinet is designed as furniture. Selector units, together with coin box, are installed at tables. Music is selected by a telephone dialing device.

Kansas Ruling

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in court by Ernest Rice, Topeka attorney.

The judge, in his opinion, states, "Counsel for the defendant argues that pinball machines which reward players with 'free games' are for amusement only and that they do not meet the definition as set out in the statuute and argues further that the

fact that the proprietor of some establishments may pay patrons in money for free games does not make the machine a gambling device.

"Counsel argues further that some persons will gamble on anything but that this should not make all devices which they might use subject to seizure and destruction, and he gives as an example the fact that persons could gamble on the rotation of the blades of an electric fan."

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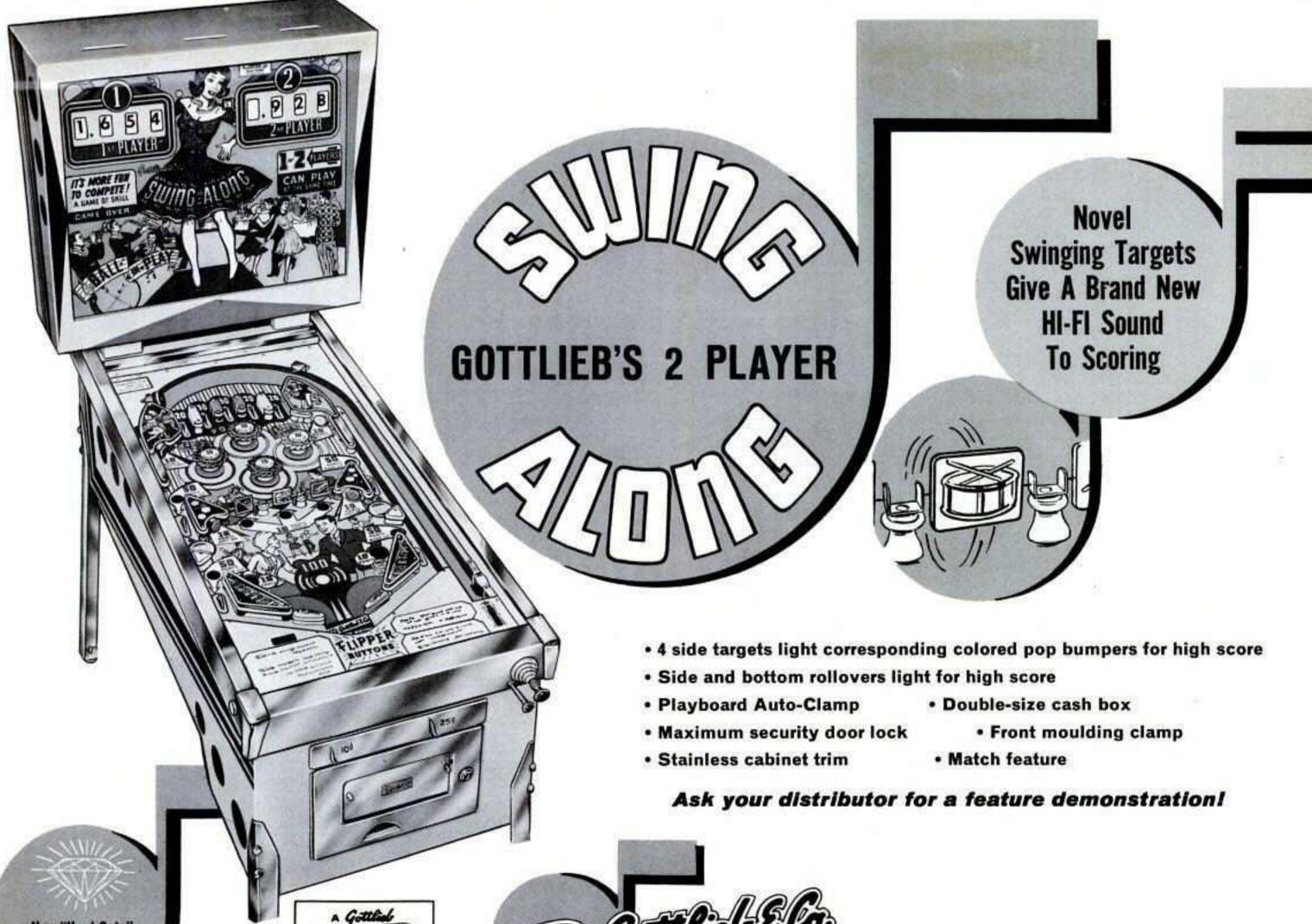
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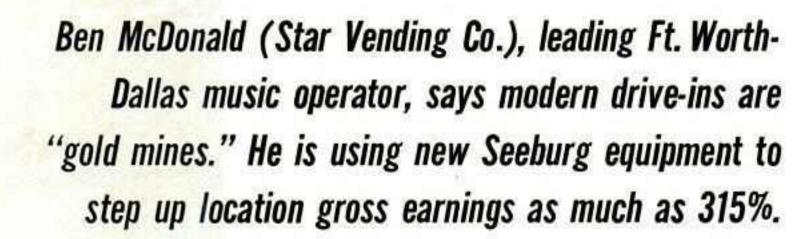
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"There has never been a coin music system that has caused so much excitement in my locations," says McDonald. From the 12 Seeburg LP Consoles and 173 Stereo Consolettes now installed, McDonald has gained a 40% jump in his business. Individual location phonograph gross earnings have

"In top-income drive-ins and cocktail lounges," reports
McDonald, "today's Seeburg beats them all. Gross
earnings go up. Much more favorable commission
arrangements are possible, because more customers play
Seeburg equipment—and more of them keep on returning
to the locations to enjoy Seeburg's great stereo.
No matter what kind of music is most profitable in a
given location, Seeburg can provide all they want of it.
Without the LP Console and the Consolettes,"
McDonald says, "we would have been out of the
business within 2 years. Now—concentrating on top

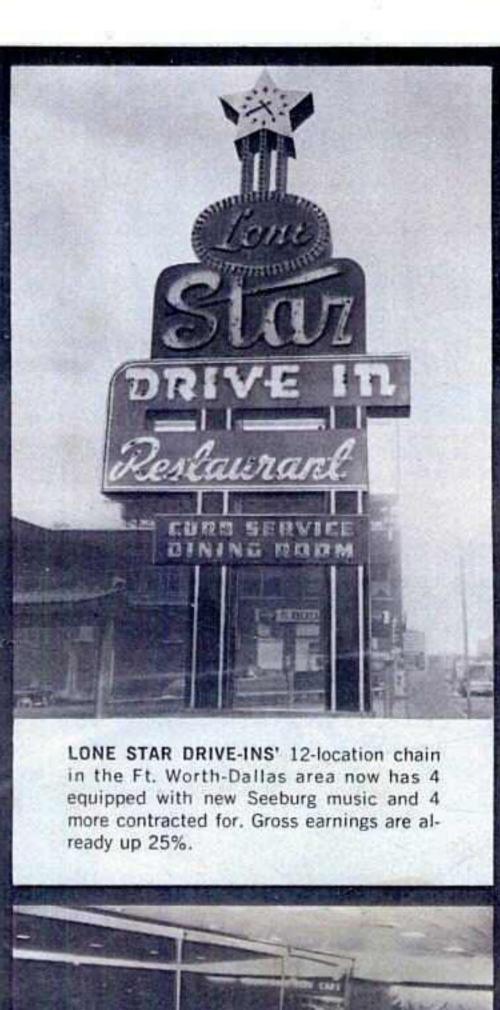
drive-ins and cocktail lounges—we are in it big."

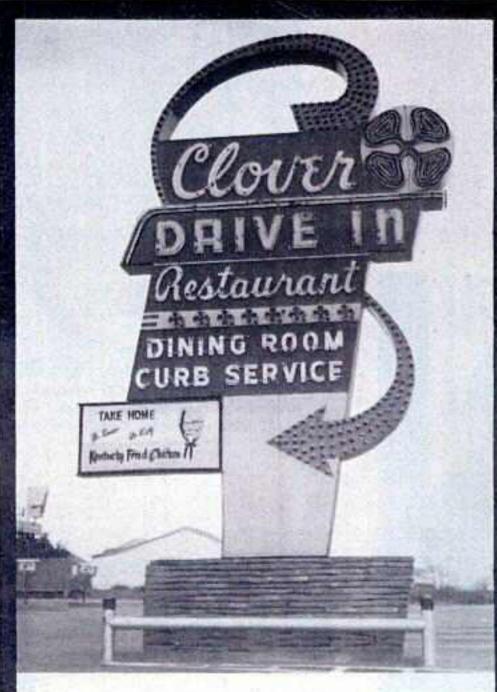
BEN McDONALD, Ft. Worth, leading Texas operator for 29 years, founder of Star Coin Machine Co. In the late 1950s, when son C. W. "Pete" McDonald went into full-line vending,



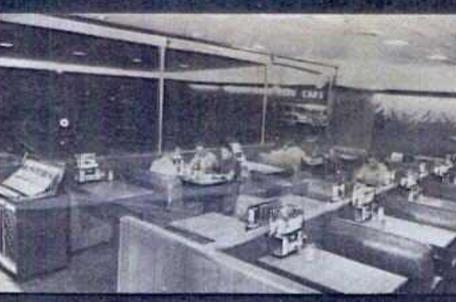
the firm name was changed to Star Vending Company.

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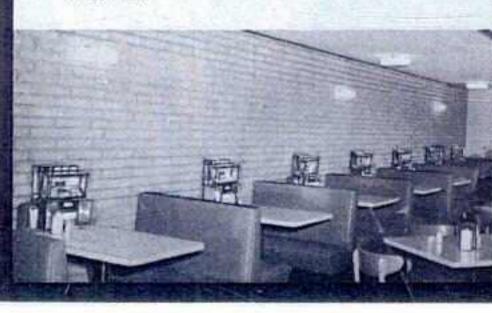


OF THE 5 CLOVER DRIVE-IN restaurants in the Dallas-Ft. Worth area, 3 now have the new Seeburg music and the other 2 are contracted for. Gross phonograph earnings have already climbed 48%.





MUSIC EARNINGS UP 315%-Jack's Drive-In, Ft. Worth, has shown a gross phonograph earnings increase of 315% since Seeburg Stereo Consolettes and an LP Console were installed.



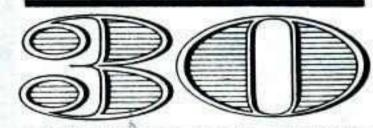




WYATT LEABURN (left), Clover Drive-In manager, and Ben McDonald with a Seeburg LP Console. Seeburg's album programming in stereo, says Leaburn, "beats them all in earning power."



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CLEO PAYS OFF IN GOLD: Composer Alex North (left) is presented with a gold disk by Richard Zanuck, head of 20th Century-Fox studio, for his score to "Cleopatra."



CLEANING UP IN PITTSBURGH: Roger Karshner, of Capital Records (left), and Jerry Spin, KQV program director, participated in a dirt-truck drive plugging Bobby Darin's latest Capital LP, "Earthy."



INTERNATIONAL IMPACT: George Wooler (center), chairman and managing director of Pye, plays host to the Cherry Blossom Girls, who dropped in to check

up on Elvis Presley's latest releases. Joining in the tea klatch are Ross Pulham and Fred Noad of Pye.

LIGHTS! CAMERA! ACTION!: Ready to assume the role of Eliza Doolittle, Audry Hepburn is in costume as the Warner Bros.' film, "My Fair Lady," gets under way.





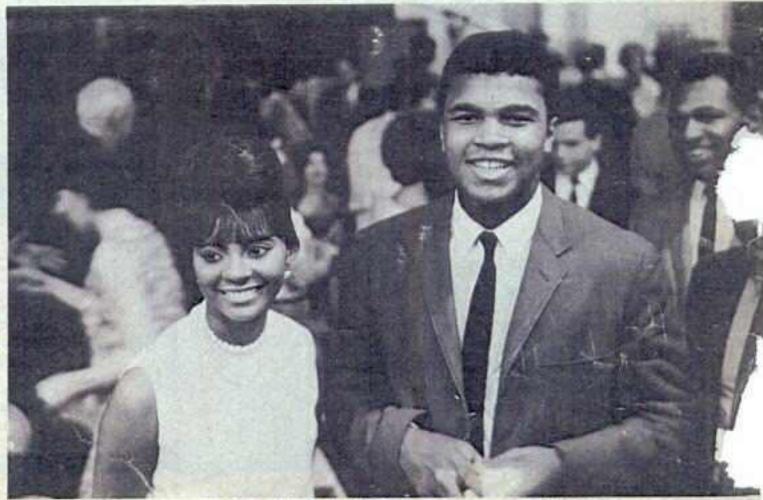
MILES IN ANTIBES: Miles Davis and wife Frances chat with CBS Records co-ordinator Stanley West (center) during the International Jazz Festival at Antibes.



IN APPRECIATION for being the first deejay to expose Ned Miller's "From a Jack to a King," Russ Robel (right) of KRKO, Everett, Wash., is presented with a gold disk of the Fabor record by Jerry Dennon, who manages the Independent Record Sales Division of the Craig Corporation.



NEWCOMER TO PHILIPS: Gisela Marell has just been recorded by Philips singing German versions of two U. S. hits, "He Thinks I Still Care" and "Keep Away From Other Girls."



FEAT OF CLAY: Leslie Uggams was on hand to congratulate Cassius Clay following his Columbia Records recording session at the firm's New York studio on his first LP, "I Am the Greatest."